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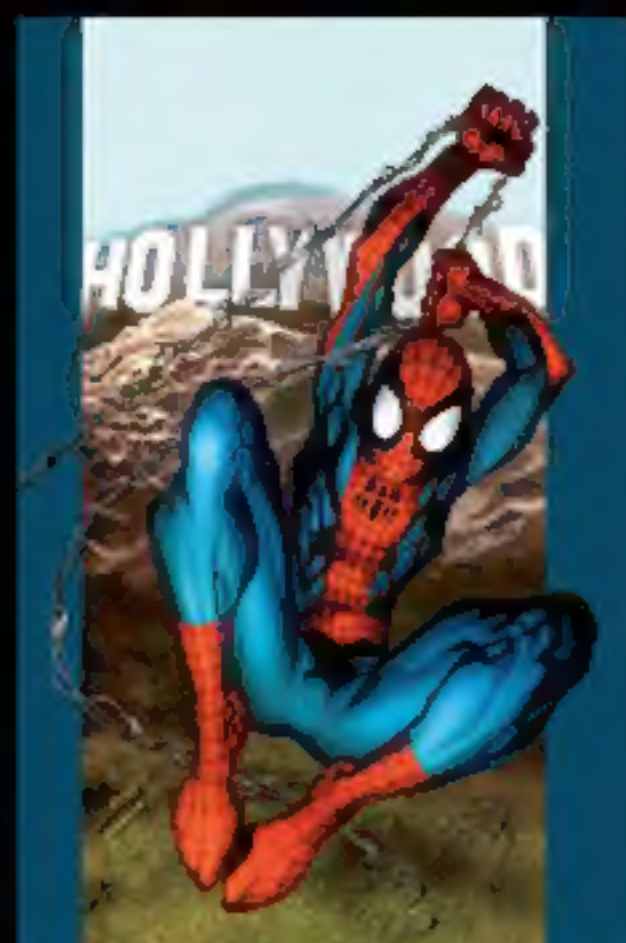
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The bite of a genetically altered spider granted high school student Peter Parker incredible, arachnid-like powers: strength, agility, a spider-like sixth sense warning him of personal danger, and most amazing of all-- Peter can walk on walls. When a burglar killed his beloved Uncle Ben, a grief-stricken Peter vowed to use his amazing abilities to protect his fellow man. He learned the invaluable lesson that with great power there must also come great responsibility!

ULTIMATE SPIDER-MAN

"HOLLYWOOD"

PREVIOUSLY



PART ONE OF SIX

Peter Parker learns a Spider-Man movie is being made and heads to the New York set to view its making. Meanwhile, an imprisoned Doctor Octopus learns his ex-wife has been hired as a consultant for the flick. Furious at this, Ock mentally calls his mechanical arms to him and bursts out of his cell intent on vengeance.



PART TWO OF SIX

Infuriated at what he perceives to be his wife's betrayal for acting as a consultant on the upcoming Spider-Man film, Doctor Octopus smashes the movie set and comes into conflict with the real Spider-Man who was there as well.



PART THREE OF SIX

The real Spider-Man and Doctor Octopus battle it out on the Spider-Man movie set. The struggle carries over to the Lincoln Tunnel where the web-spinner is rendered unconscious and kidnapped aboard a private jet heading for parts unknown.



PART FOUR OF SIX

A door has burst open on the jet. Doc Ock believes Spider-Man escaped through it before the plane touched down.



PART FIVE OF SIX

The kidnapped Spider-Man has defeated Doctor Octopus in Brazil before hitching a plane ride back to New York City. Reaching his home in Forest Hills, he is confronted by an enraged Gwen Stacy who believes Spidey has killed her father, Captain Stacy of the NYPD!

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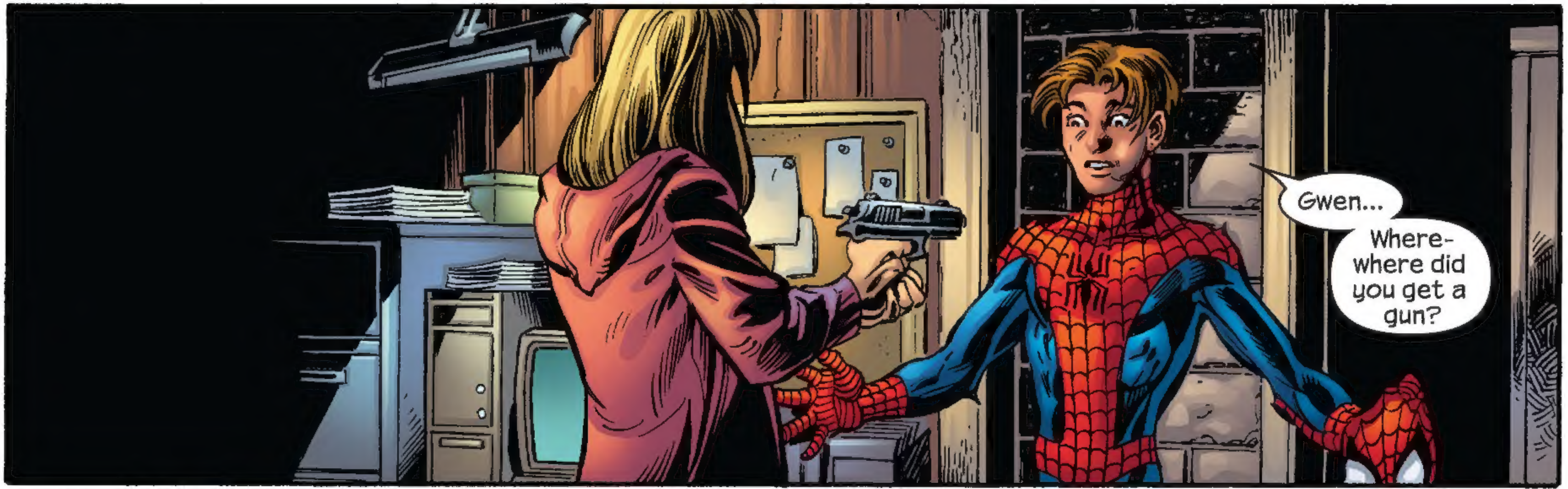
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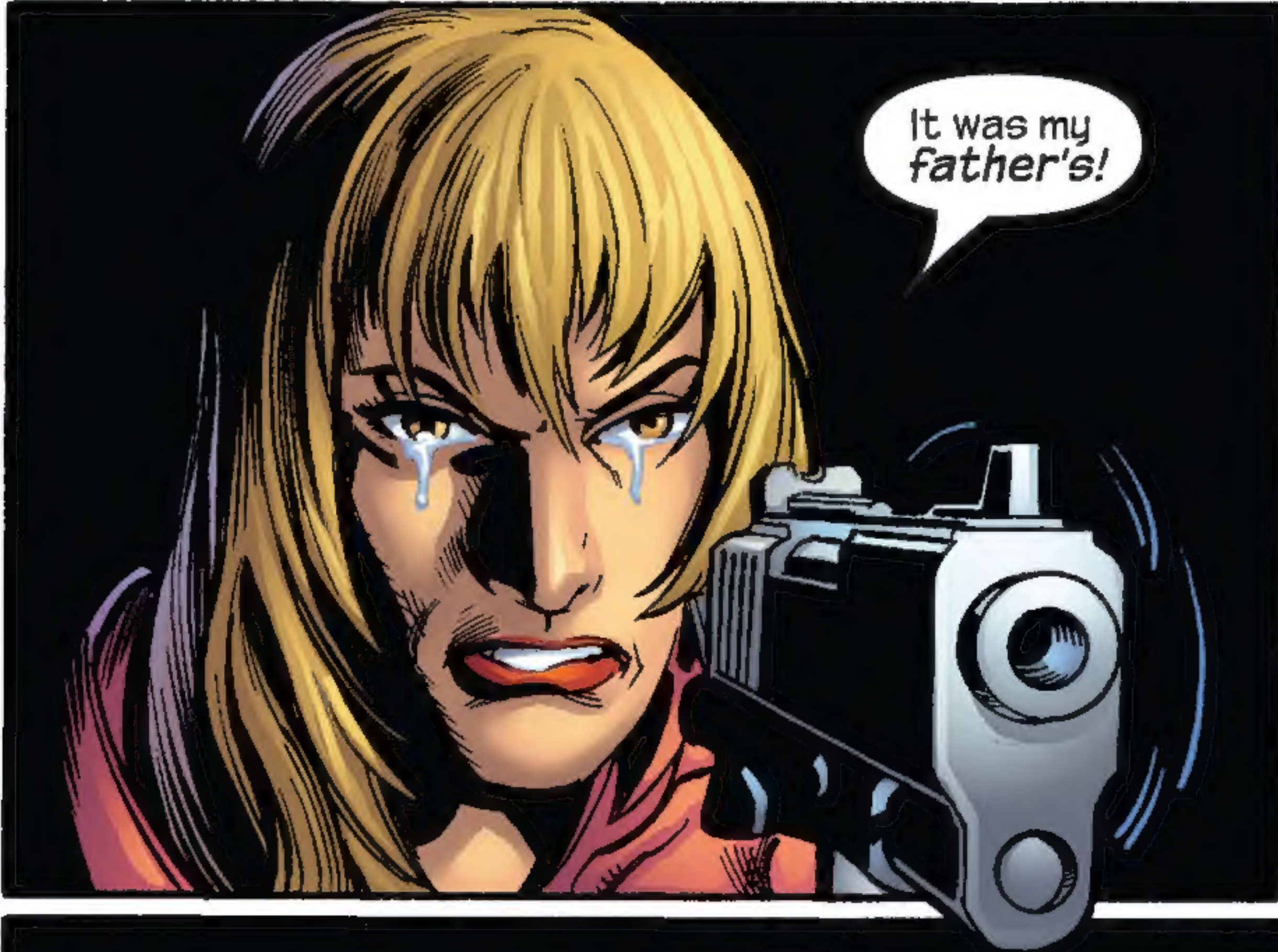
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Gwen...
Where-
where did
you get a
gun?



It was my
father's!



Gwen,
I didn't-
kill- your-
father.

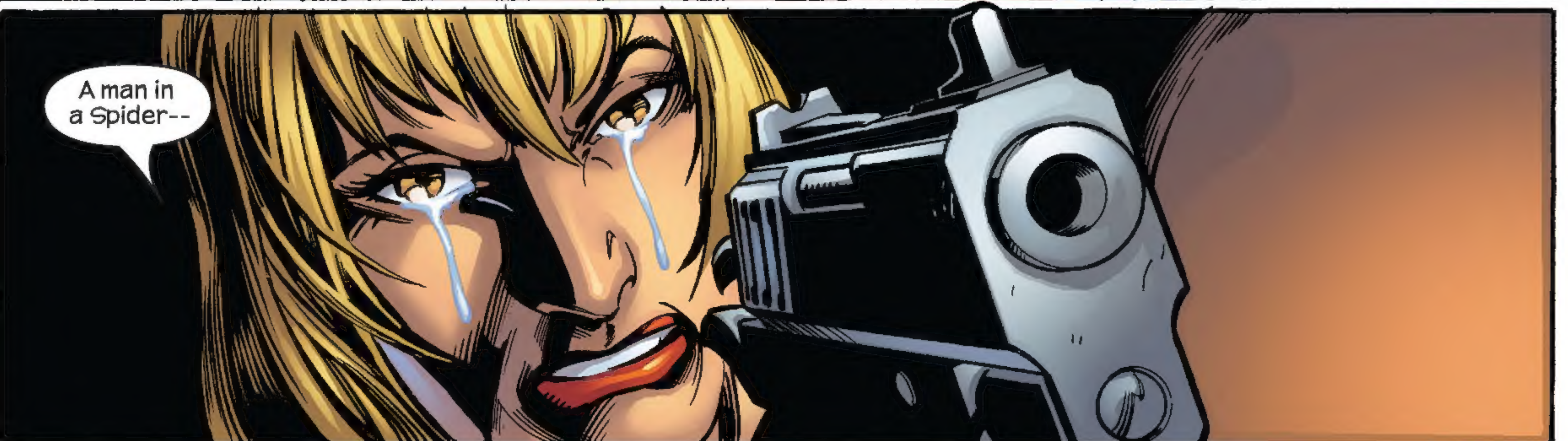


Spider-Man!!
SPIDER-MAN!!
A man
in a Spider-
Man--

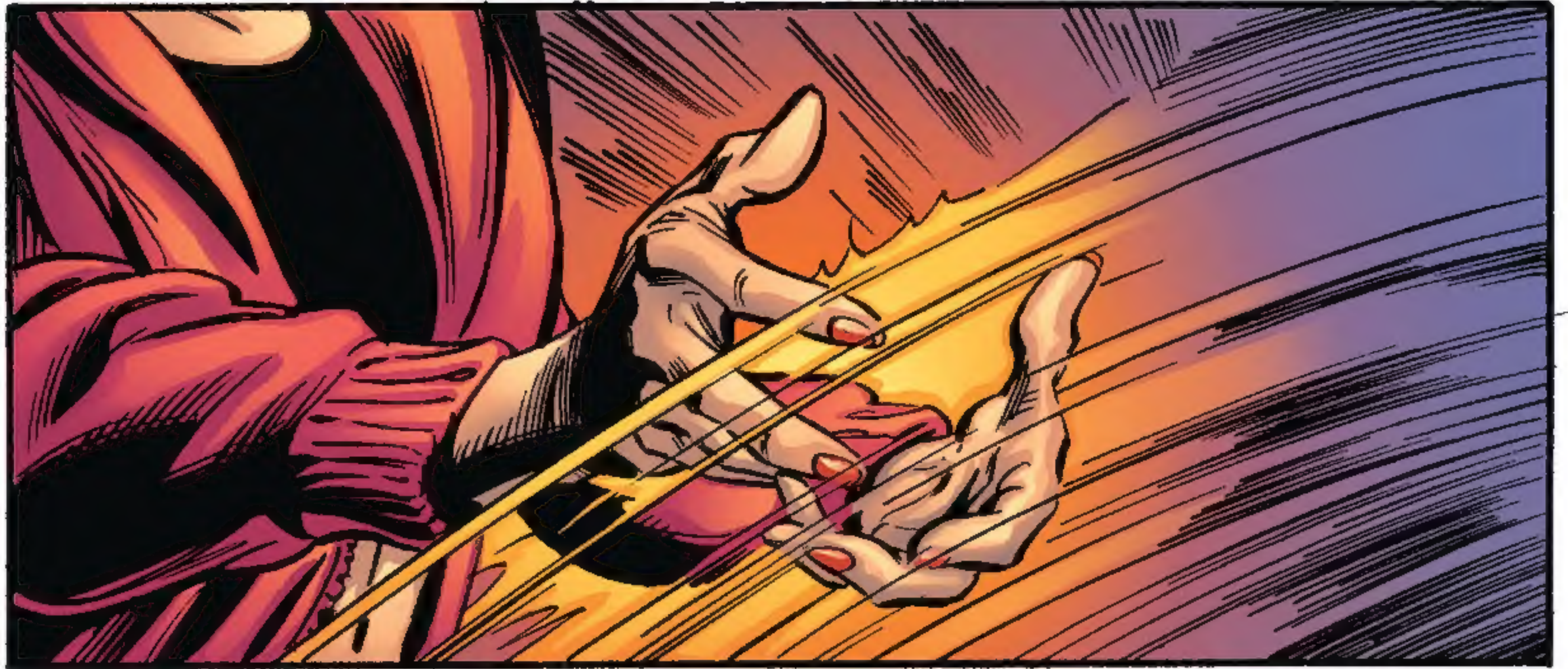
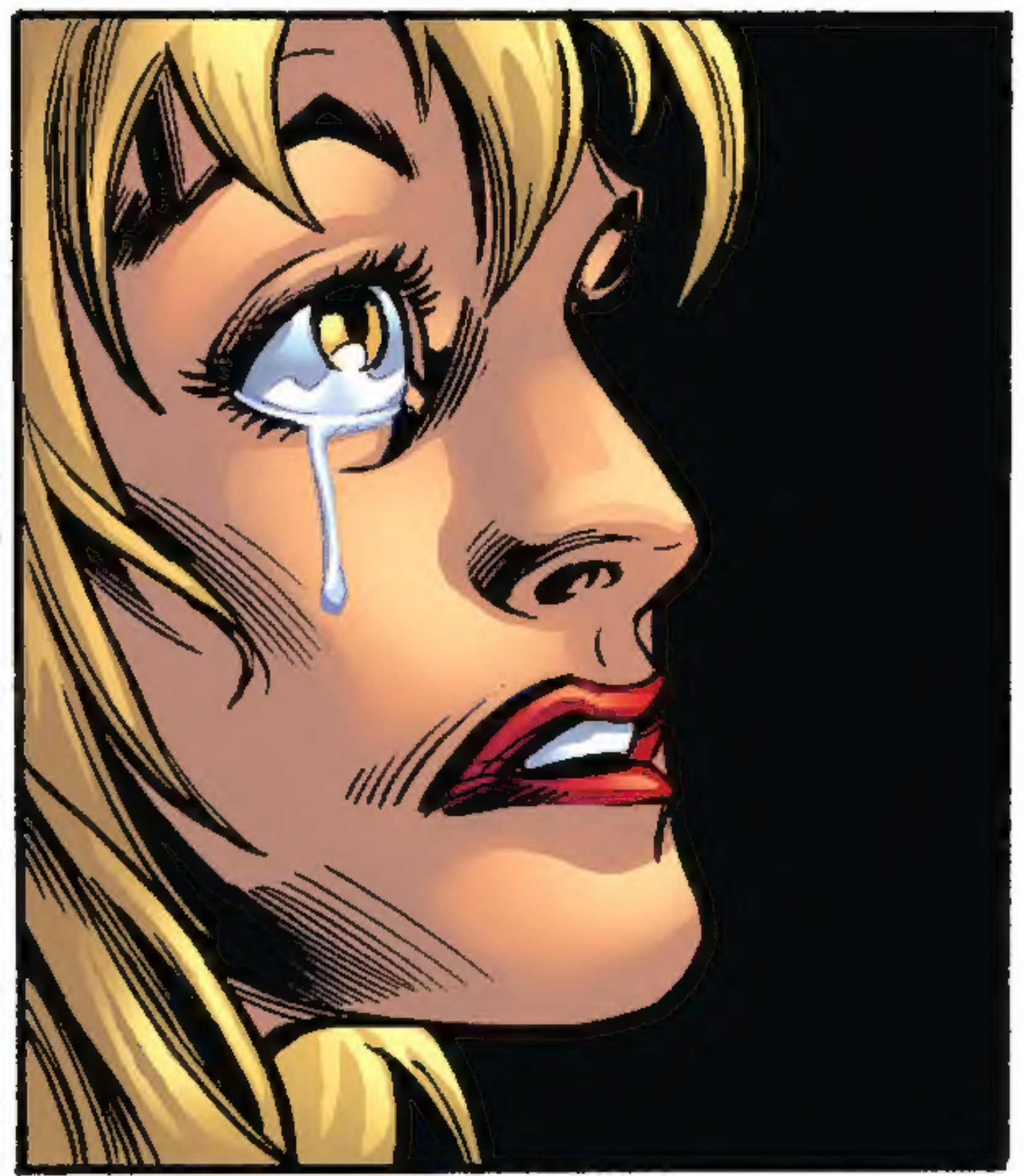
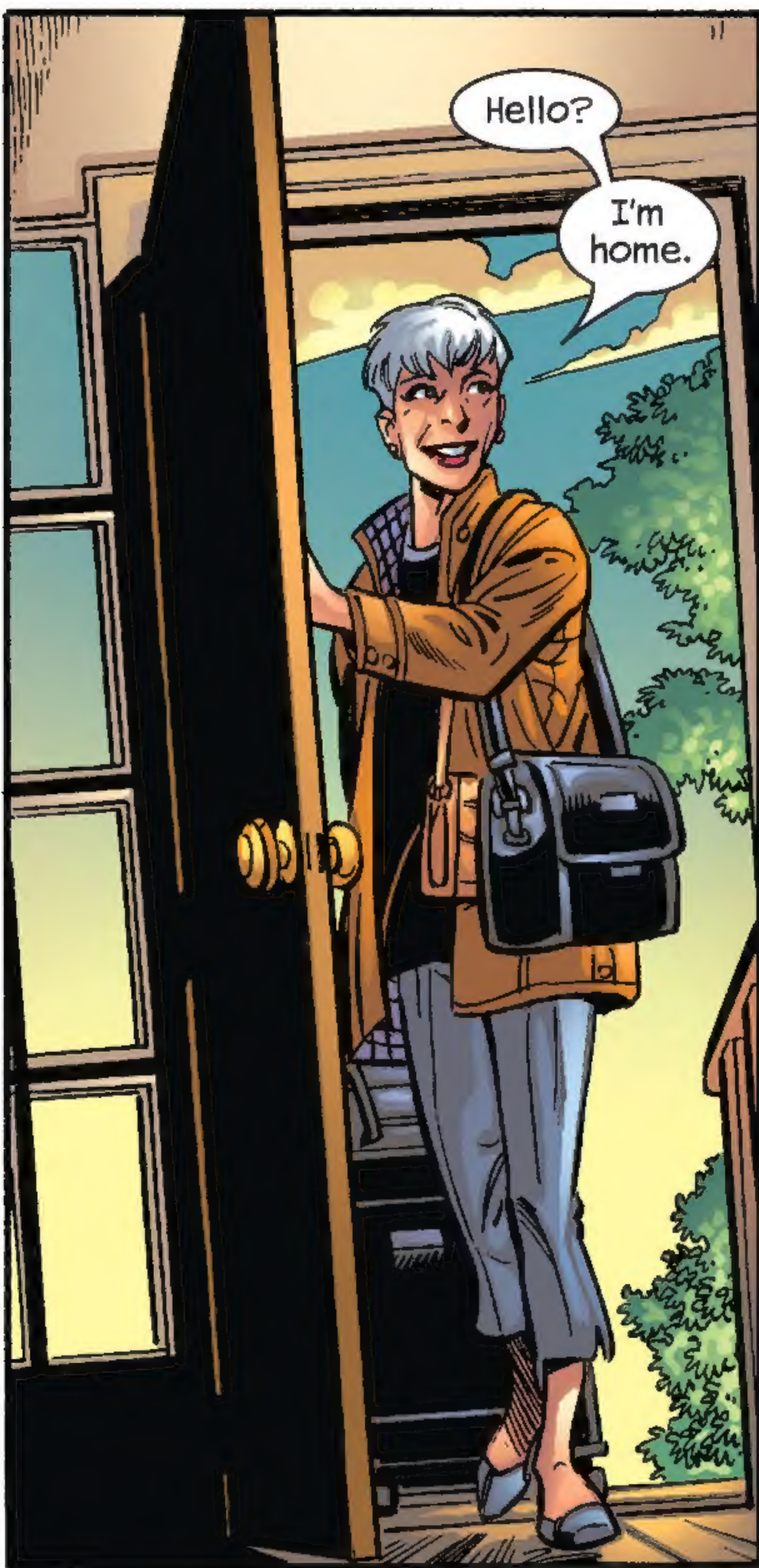


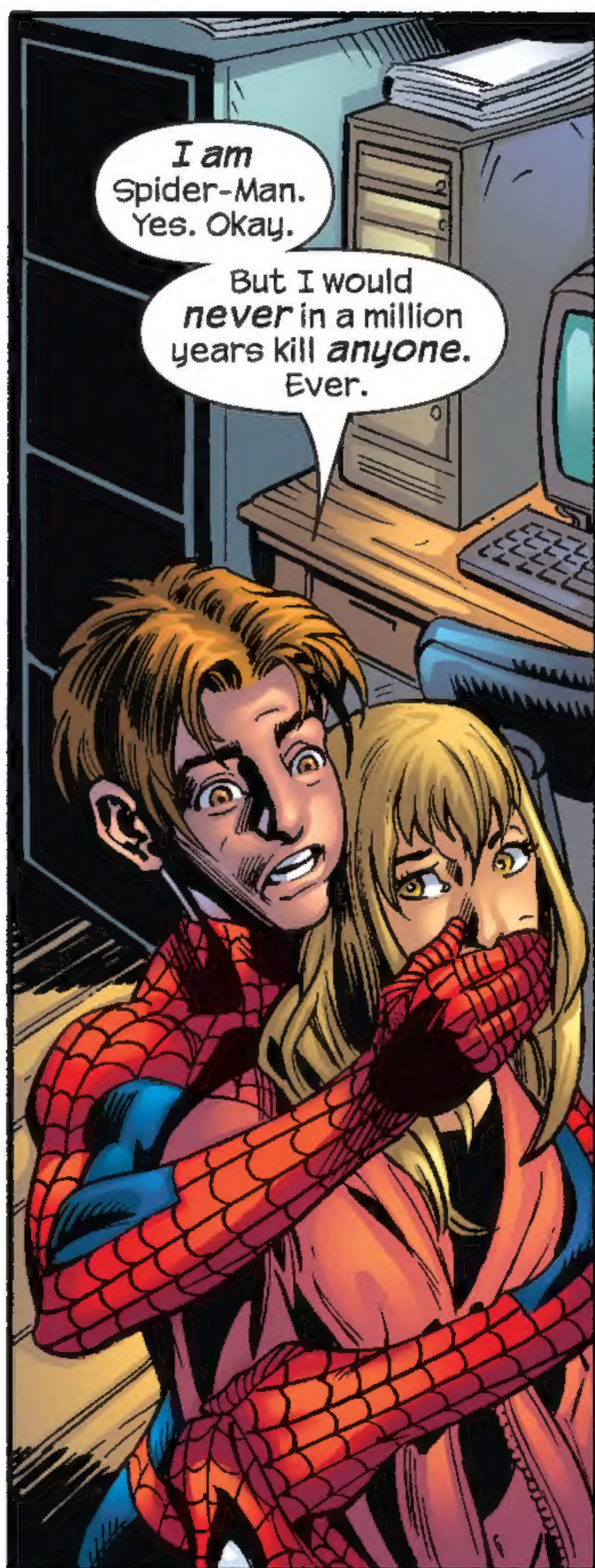
I
know!

I know!
But it wasn't
me.



A man in
a Spider--





I am Spider-Man. Yes. Okay.

But I would *never* in a million years kill *anyone*. Ever.



It's the *opposite* of what my whole entire *life* is about.

I'm trying to *help* people. Not *hurt* them.



And, listen, the cops *told* you it was a copycat guy in a Spider-Man outfit. They told you. The guy *admitted* it!!

It was on the news.

And I was with you, right next to you, *all day* the day your dad died!!

The entire day.

I was with you when you found out, I was *there* with you.

I would have done *anything* for that not to have happened to your father, but I *wasn't* there.



How could I have been in Atlantic City *and* next to you at the *same* time?

I didn't do it.



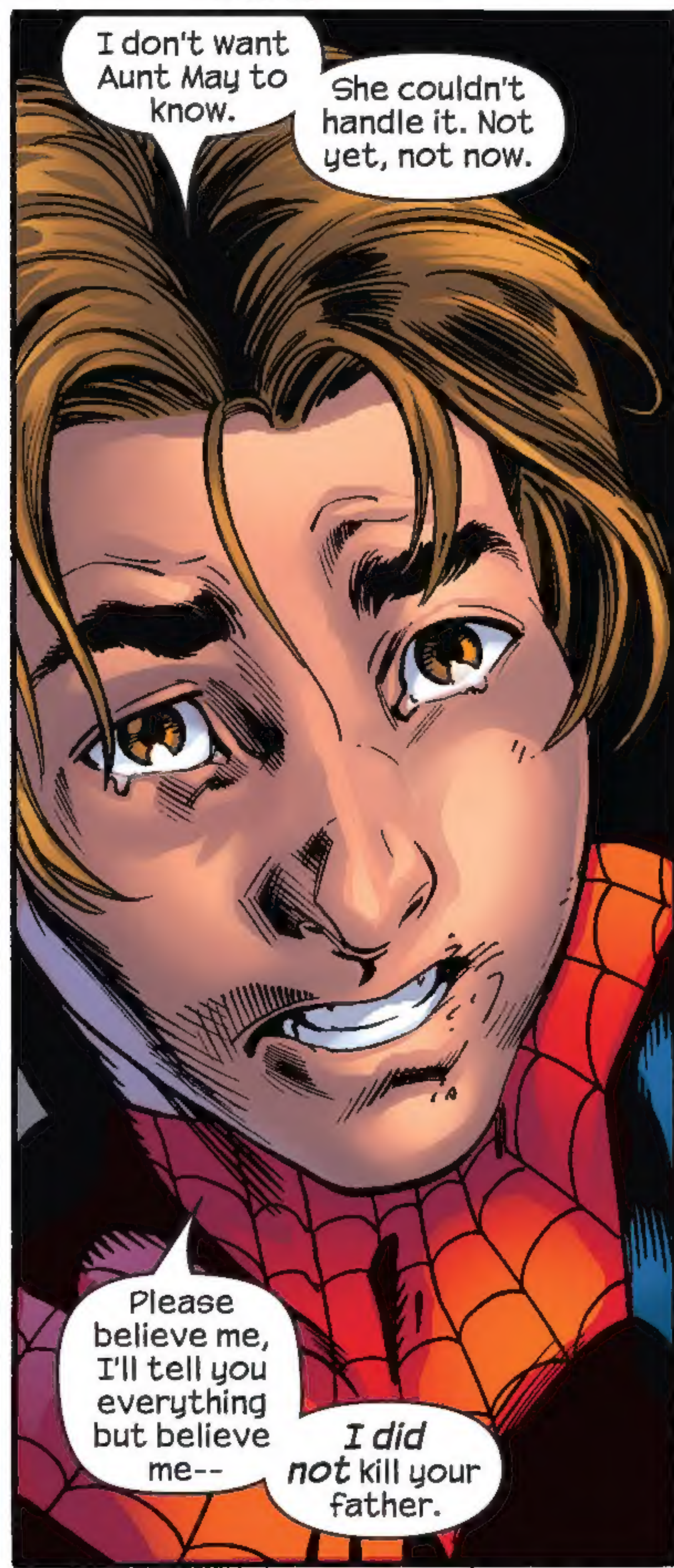
I'm sorry I didn't tell you who I am but I don't want anyone to get hurt.

I don't want Aunt May, or you, or anyone I know to have to *worry* about me.

Please, please believe me.

Please.

Please believe me.

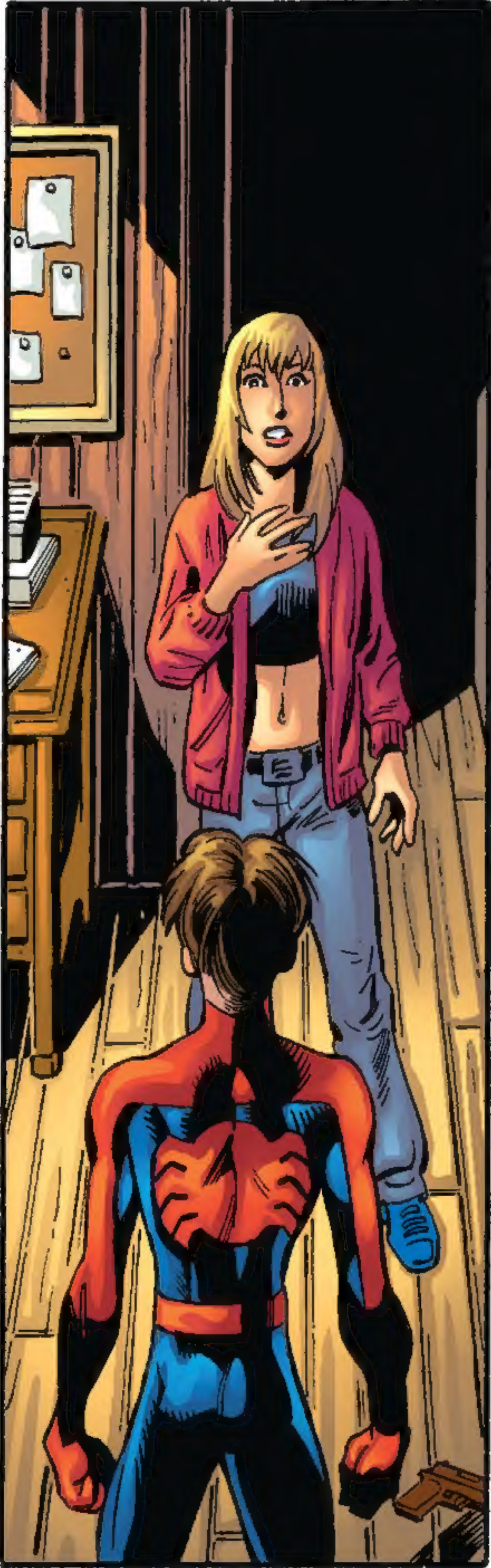
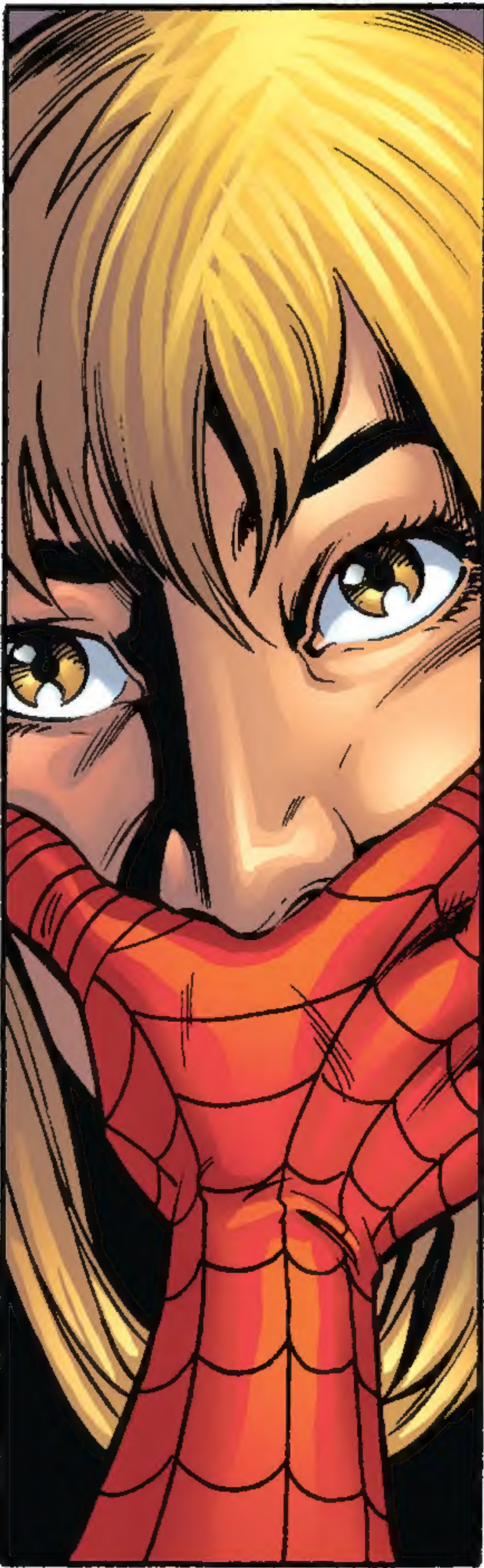
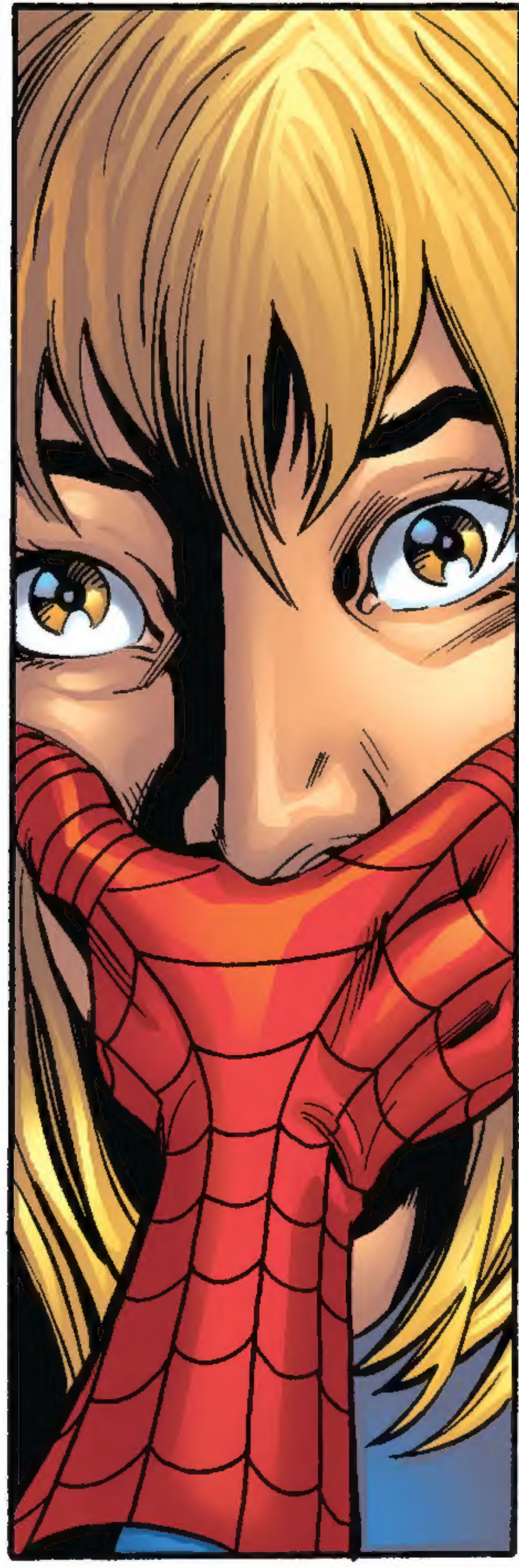
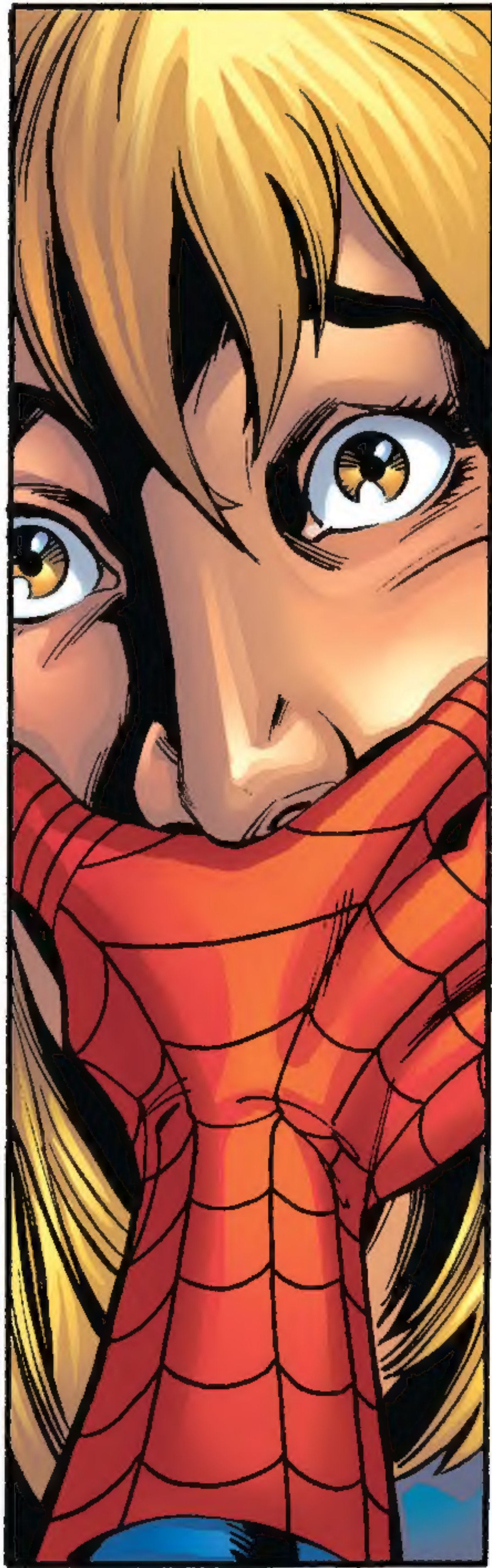


I don't want Aunt May to know.

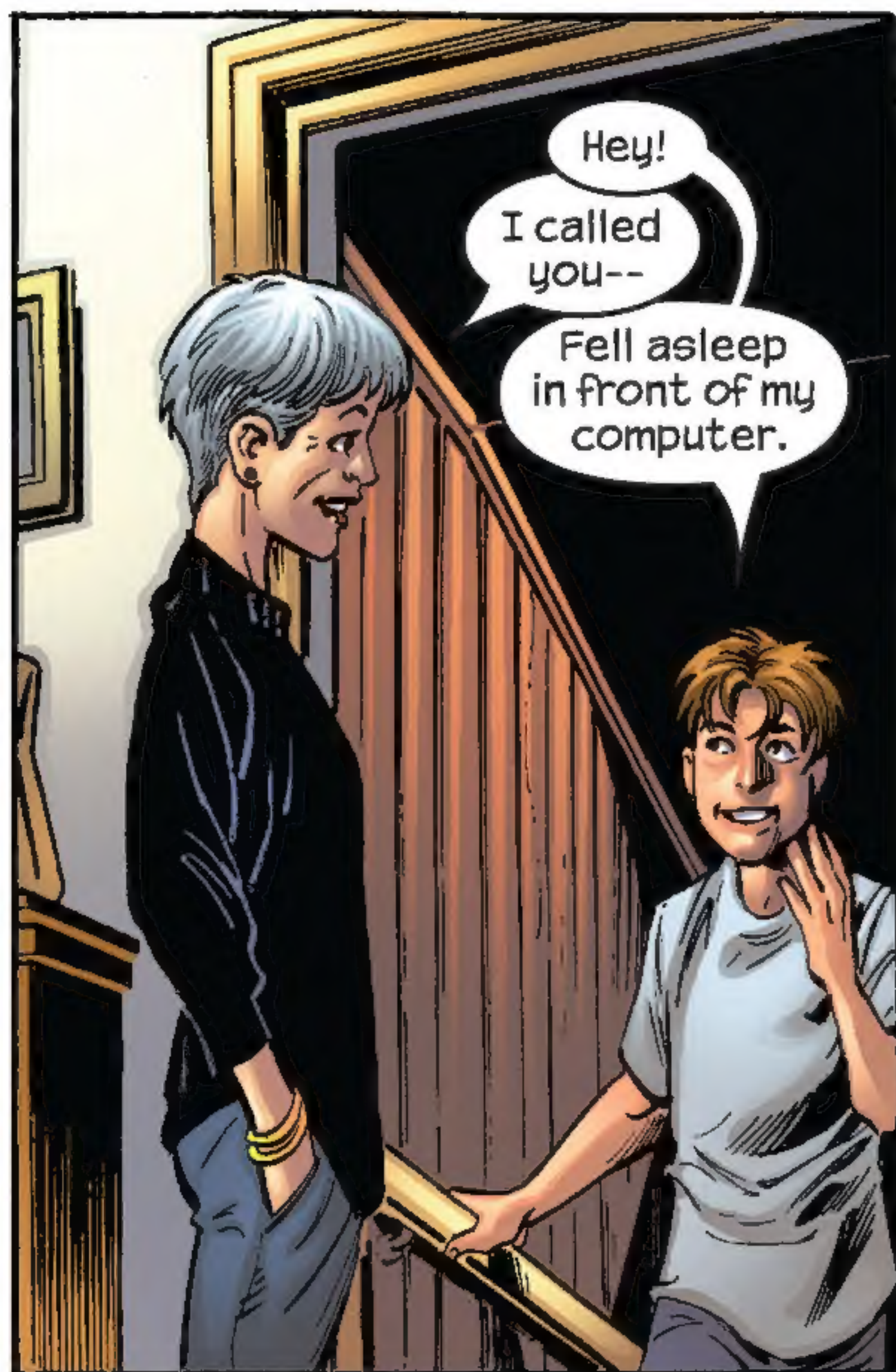
She couldn't handle it. Not yet, not now.

Please believe me, I'll tell you everything but believe me--

I *did* not kill your father.



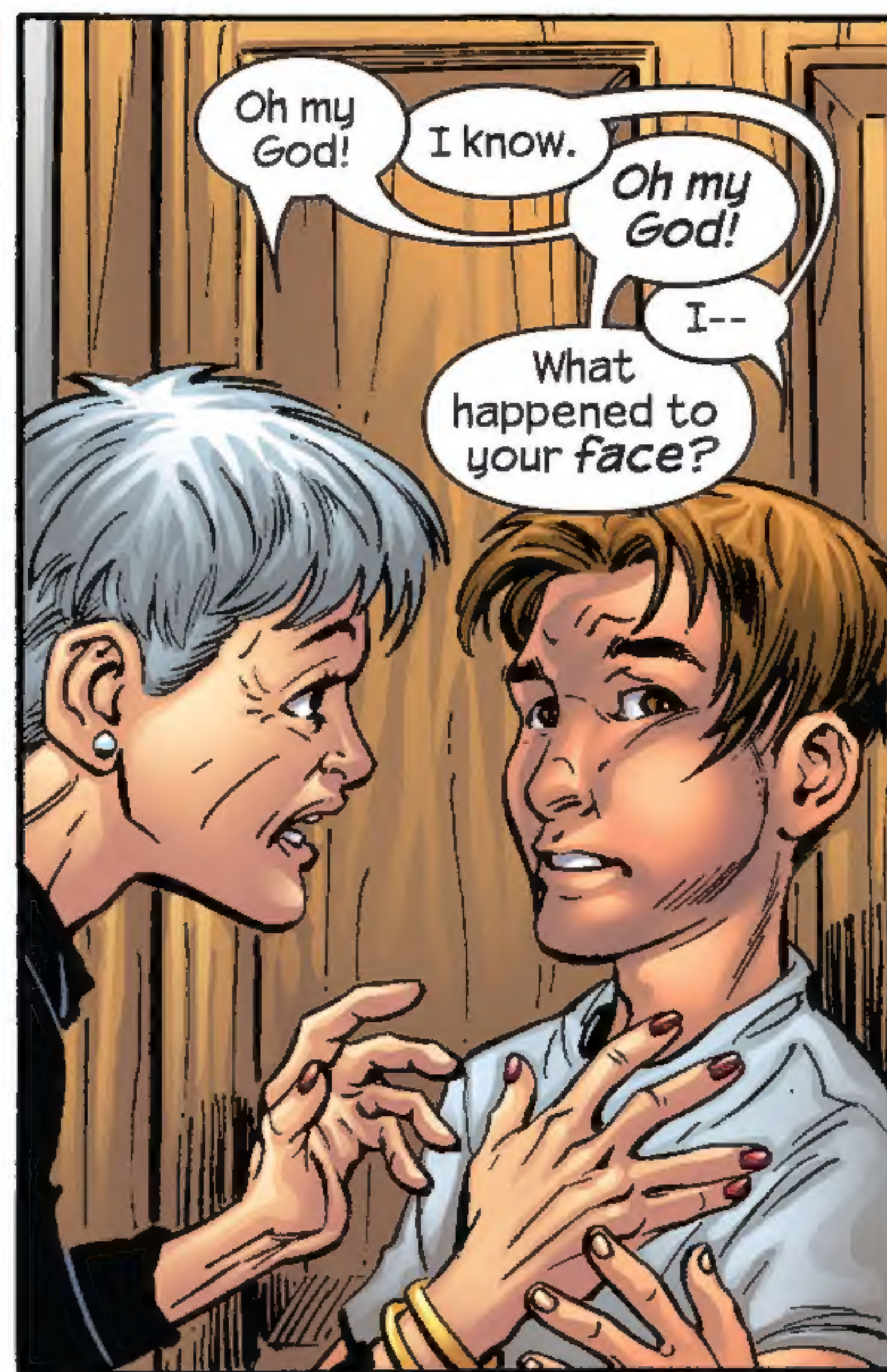




Hey!
I called
you--
Fell asleep
in front of my
computer.



I told
you not to
do that.
Didn't
mean to.



Oh my
God!
I know.
Oh my
God!
I--
What
happened to
your face?

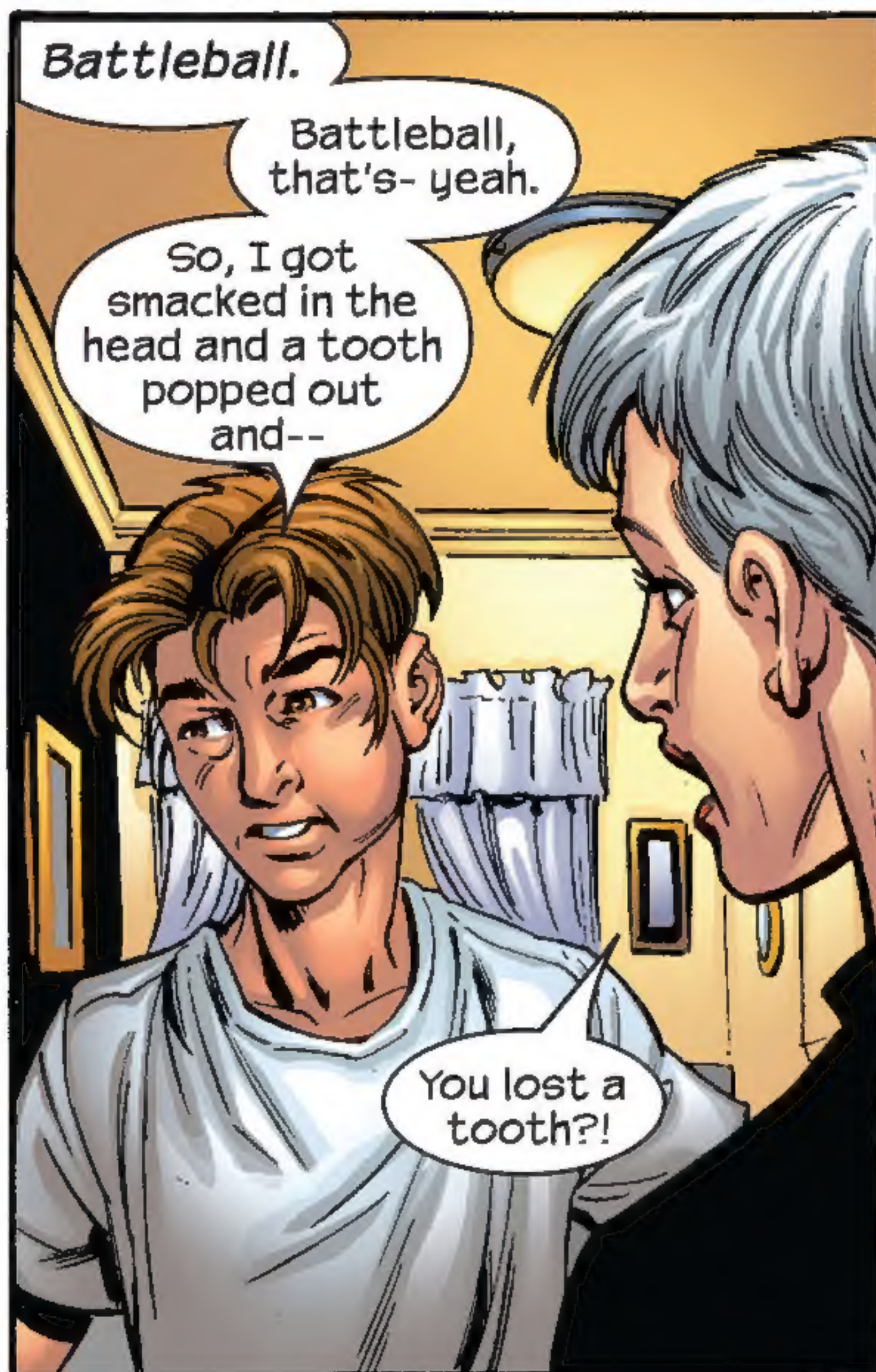


I got whacked in the face
during this-this...you
know...

No. What?

During this
thing in gym
where they throw
the ball at your
head.

Where they
throw the ball
at your head?



Battleball.

Battleball,
that's- yeah.

So, I got
smacked in the
head and a tooth
popped out
and--

You lost a
tooth?!



A tooth popped
out and it got all
swollen.

Oh my
God!

Ow!

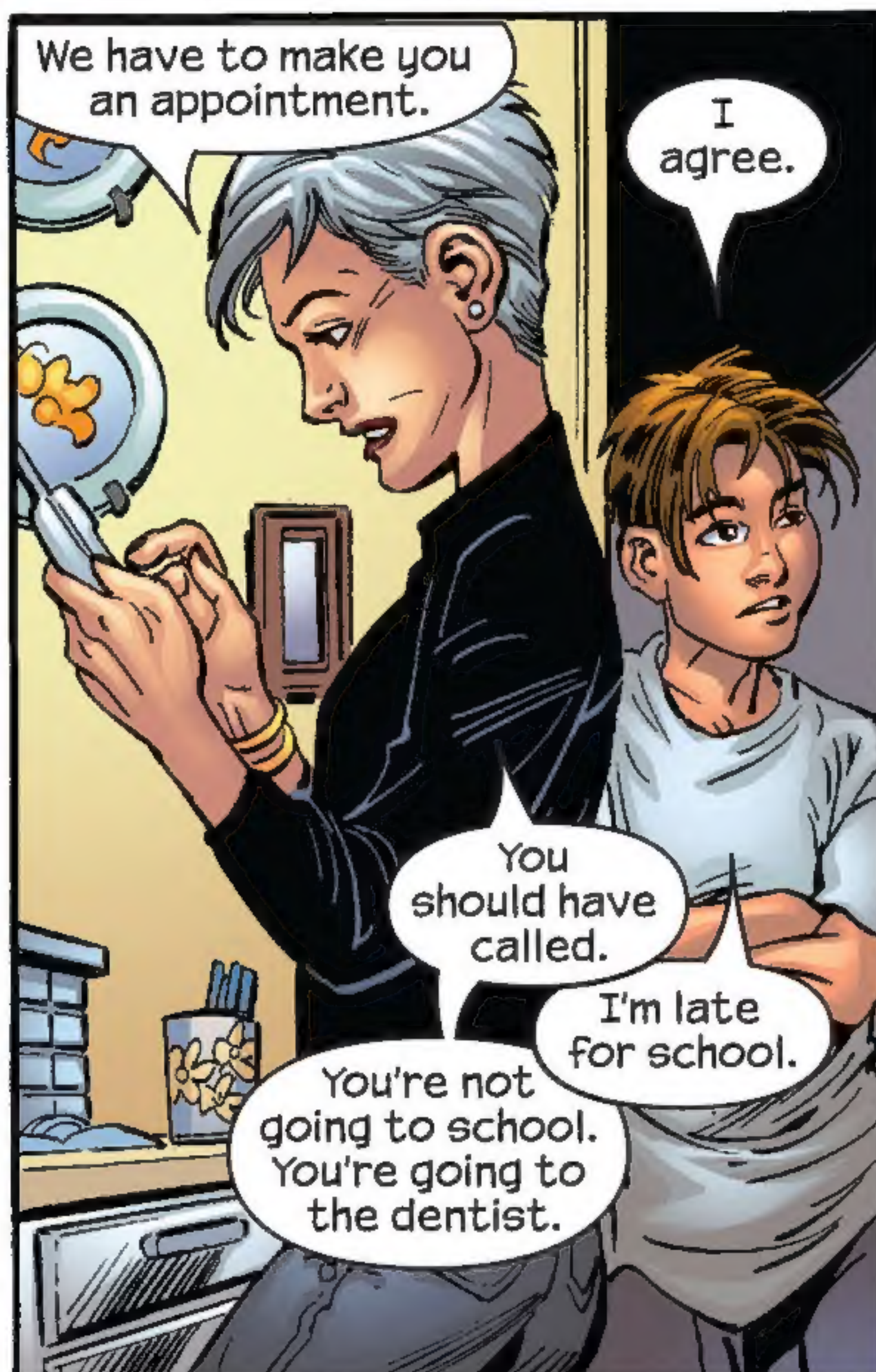
Why didn't
you call
me?



Because
you would have
freaked out.

Well,
yeah.

And you were
already coming
home today and
I still would have
lost my tooth.



We have to make you
an appointment.

I
agree.

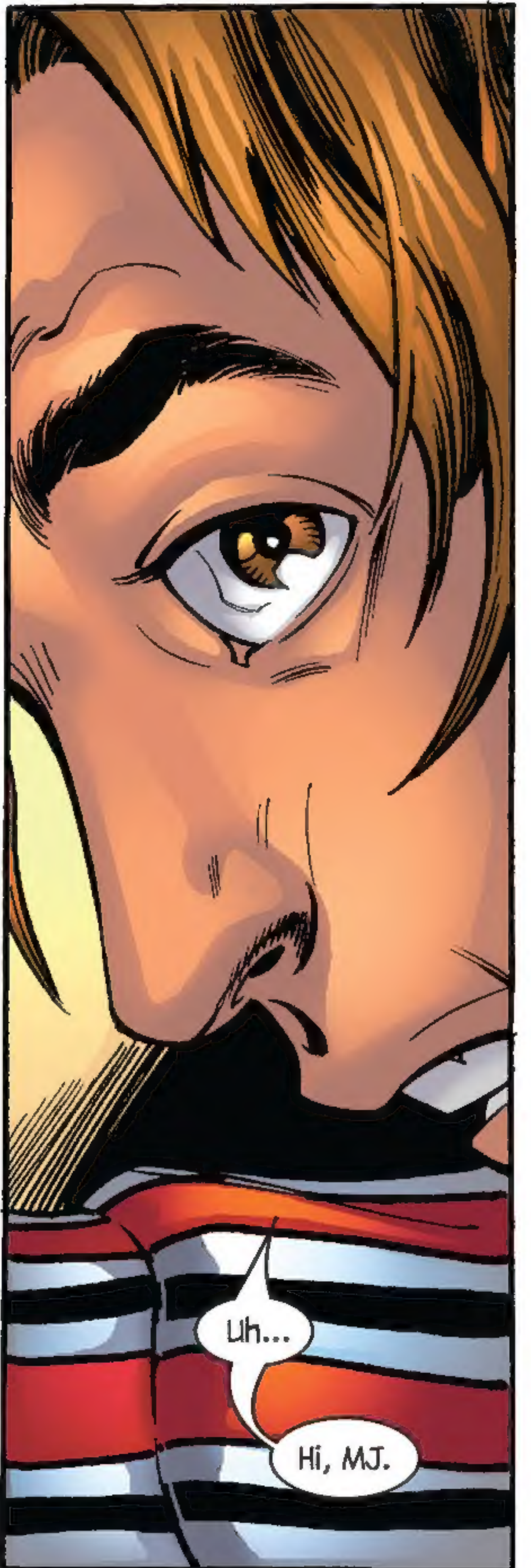
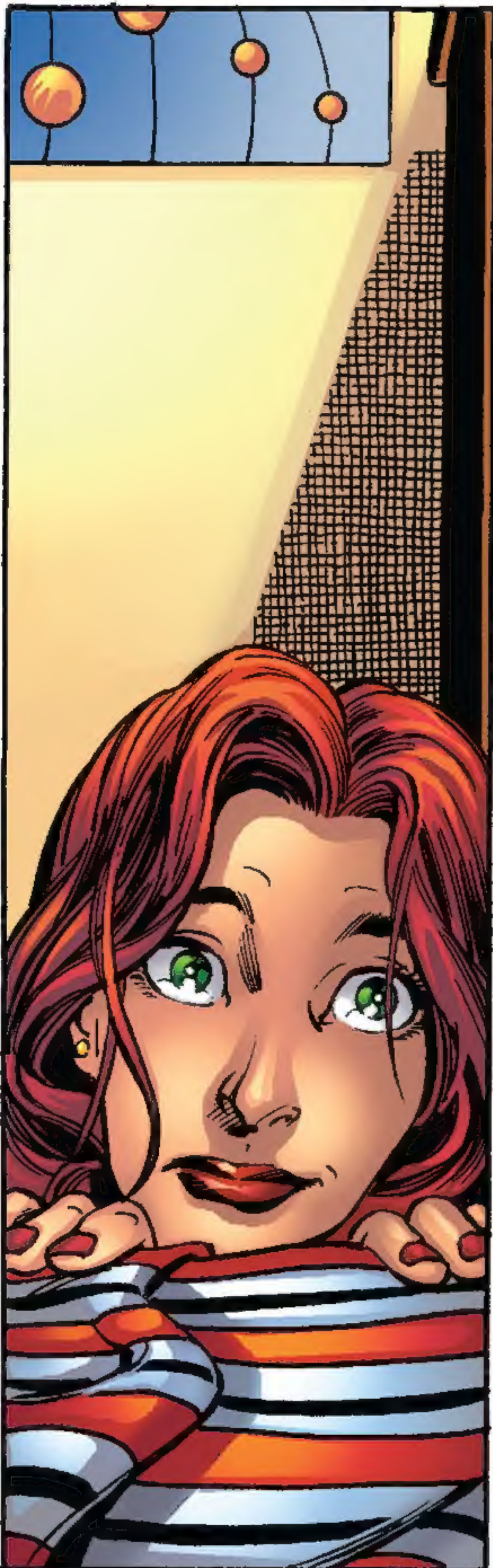
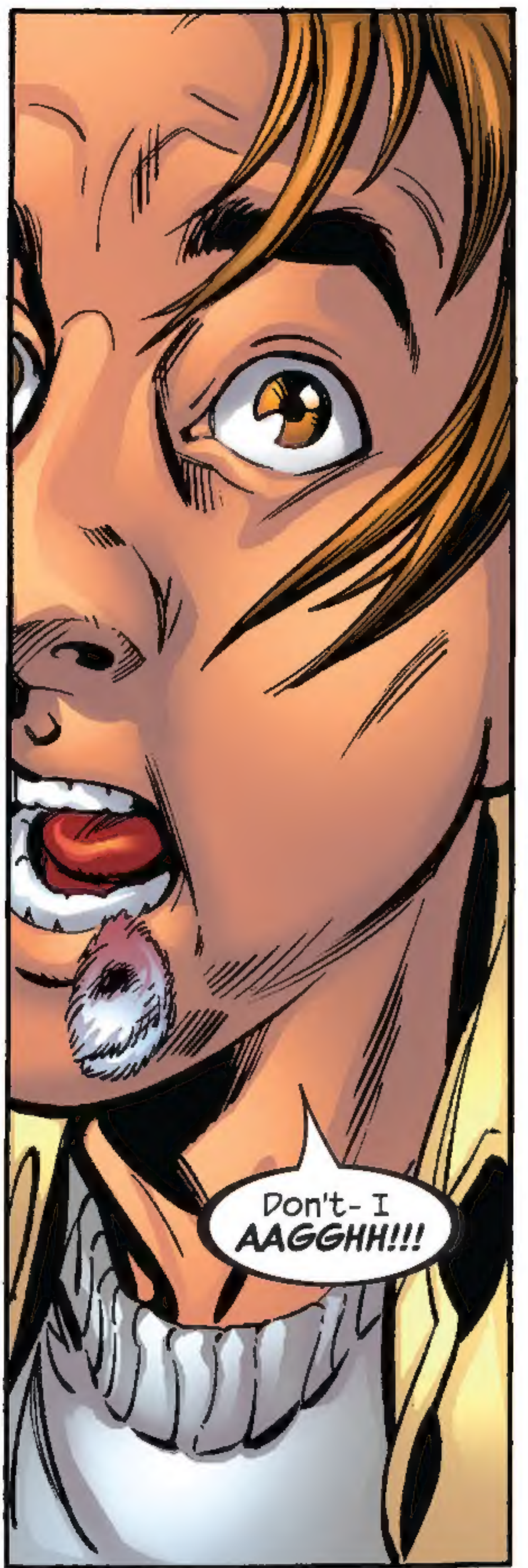
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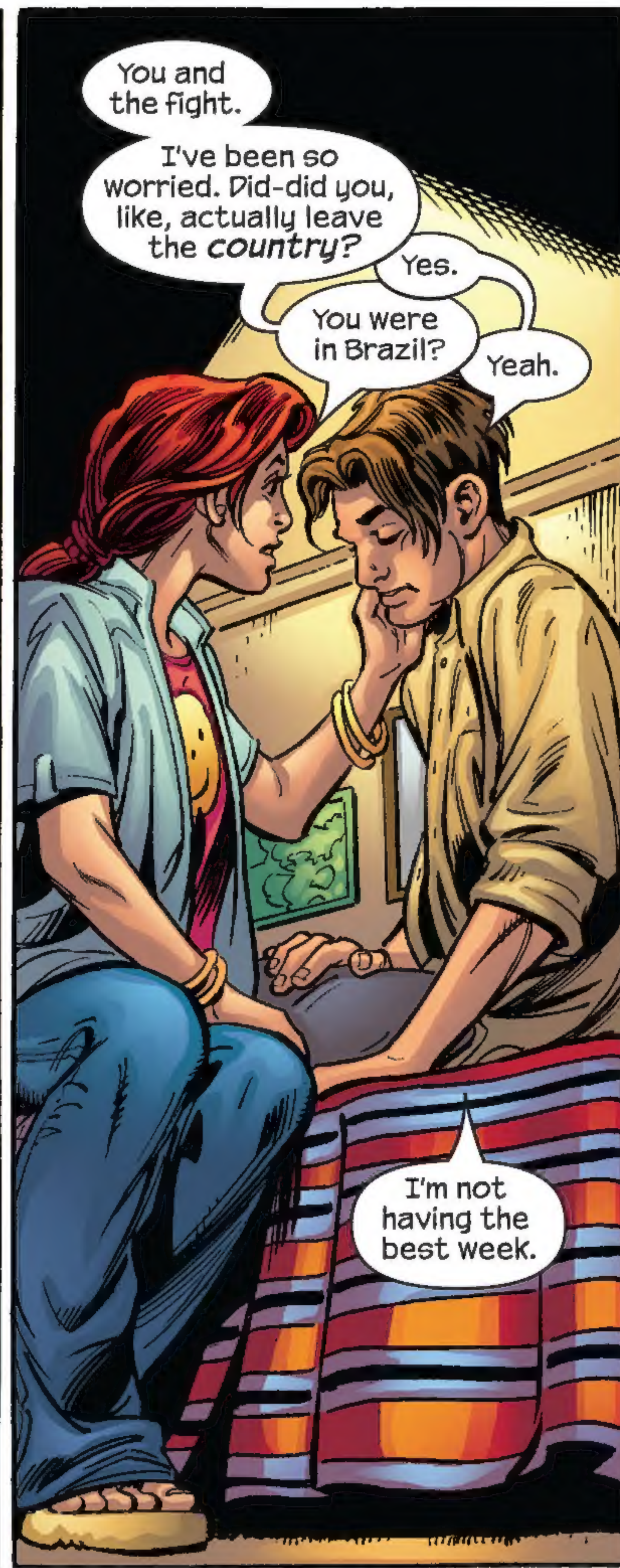
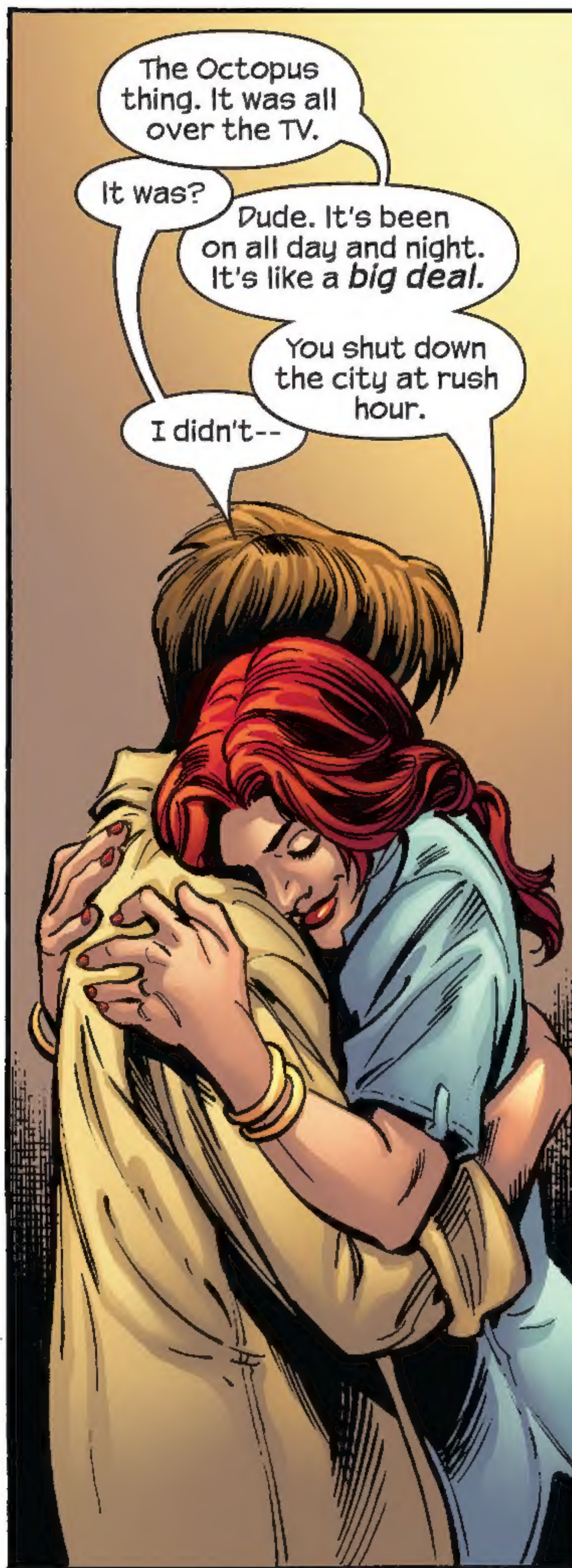
I'm late
for school.

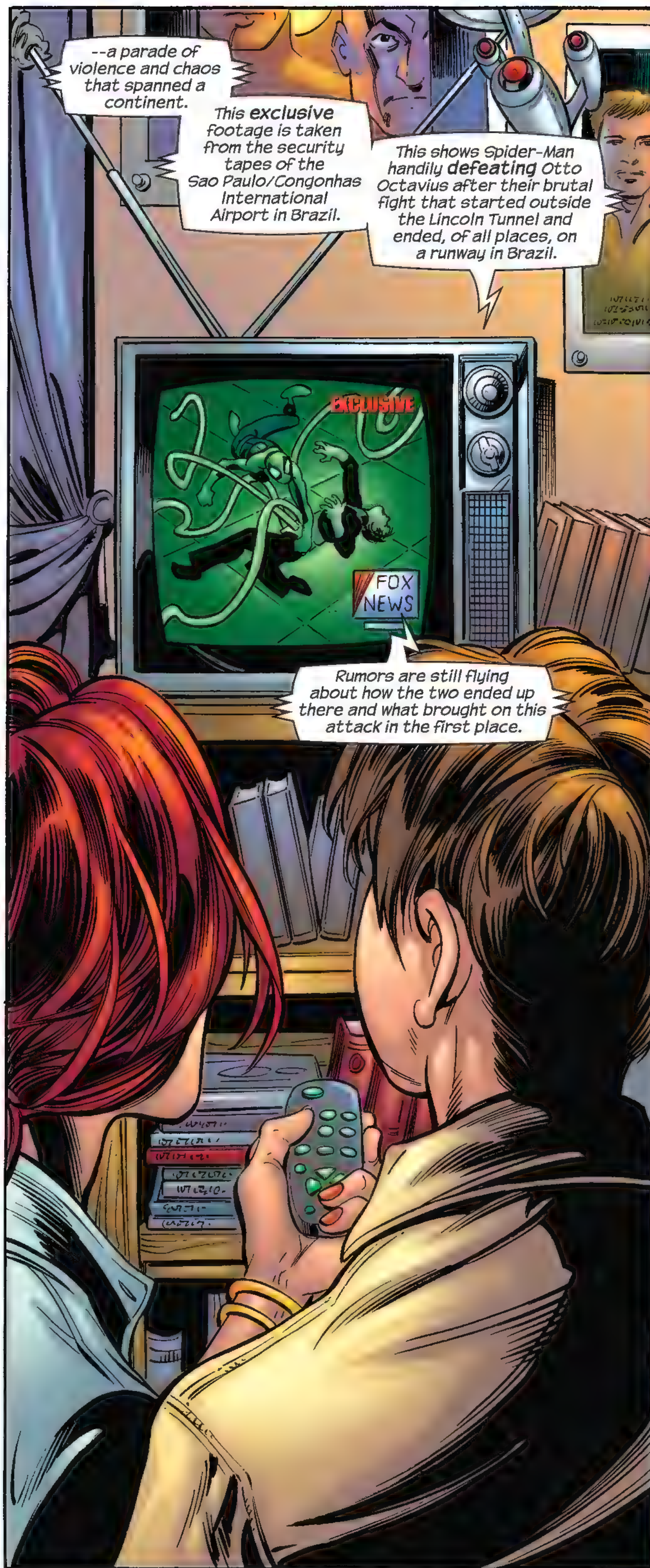
You're not
going to school.
You're going to
the dentist.



That is
infected.







--a parade of violence and chaos that spanned a continent.

This exclusive footage is taken from the security tapes of the Sao Paulo/Congonhas International Airport in Brazil.

This shows Spider-Man handily defeating Otto Octavius after their brutal fight that started outside the Lincoln Tunnel and ended, of all places, on a runway in Brazil.

Rumors are still flying about how the two ended up there and what brought on this attack in the first place.



But we have received official word from authorities that Otto Octavius has been taken into custody by S.H.I.E.L.D. authorities.

Oh, thank God... Seriously.

And Spider-Man's whereabouts are, again, unknown. But...



EXCLUSIVE: AMATEUR HOME VIDEO

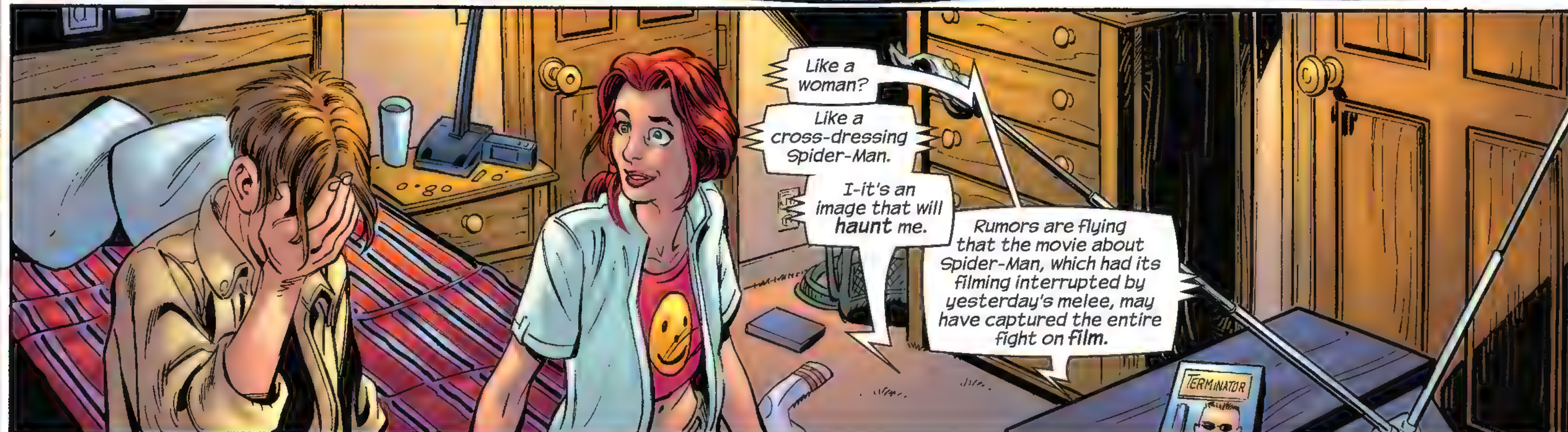
...bedlam at Newark Airport early this morning has many believing that the famed web-slinger may have stowed away on an international flight looking for a free ride home.



All's I know is, I opened up the baggage compartment and there was this dude in a Spider-dude outfit and he was all done up like a broad.

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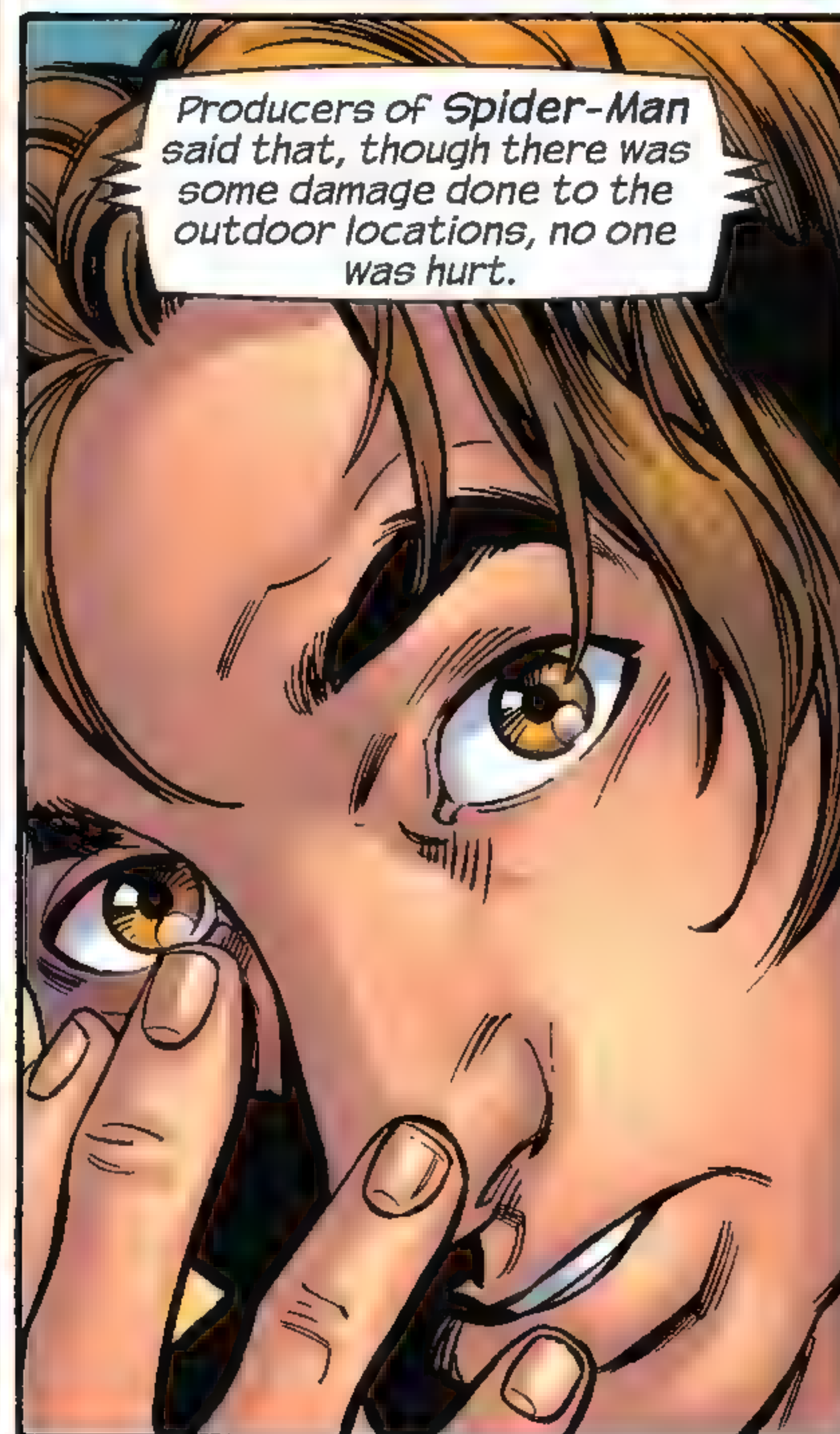


Like a woman?

Like a cross-dressing Spider-Man.

I-it's an image that will haunt me.

Rumors are flying that the movie about Spider-Man, which had its filming interrupted by yesterday's melee, may have captured the entire fight on film.



Producers of Spider-Man said that, though there was some damage done to the outdoor locations, no one was hurt.



The experience of watching Spider-Man in action was truly fascinating.

We will assess what we have and see if we can't, in some way, share with the world just how amazing an experience it was.

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If I knew how to whimper... I would.

Dressing up like a woman now? Is there anything you want to tell me?



Did you talk to Gwen today?

When?

At school.

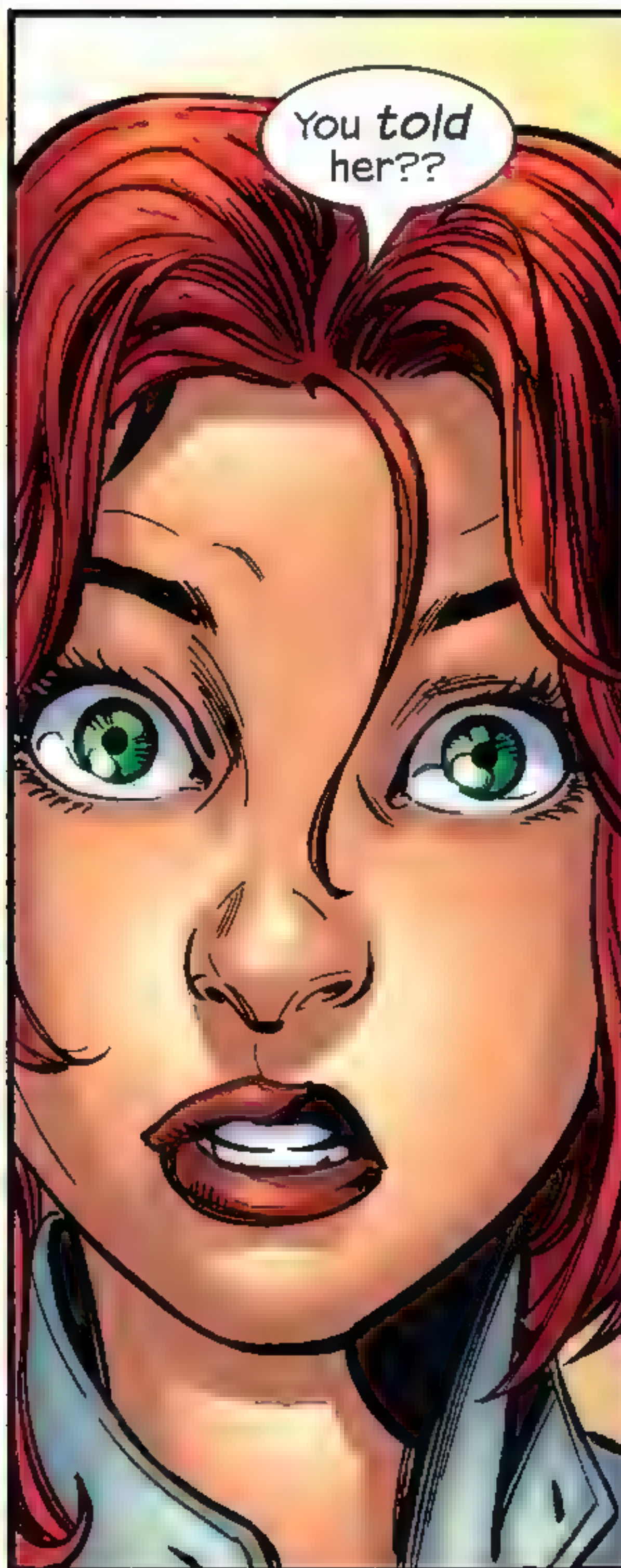
She wasn't at school.

Man...

What?

We have to go find her. We had a whole thing this morning, me and her.

She found out my secret and she wiggled out.

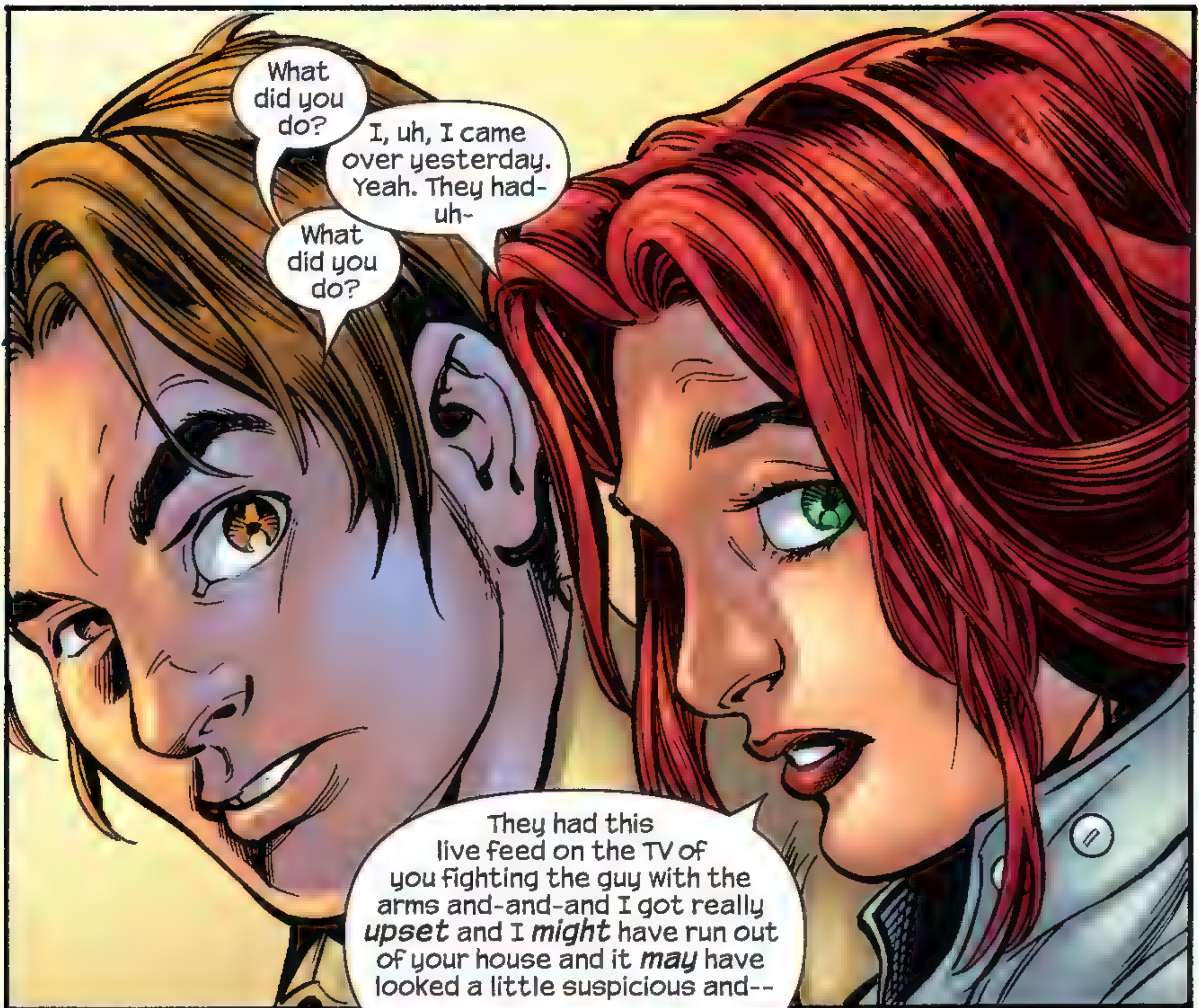
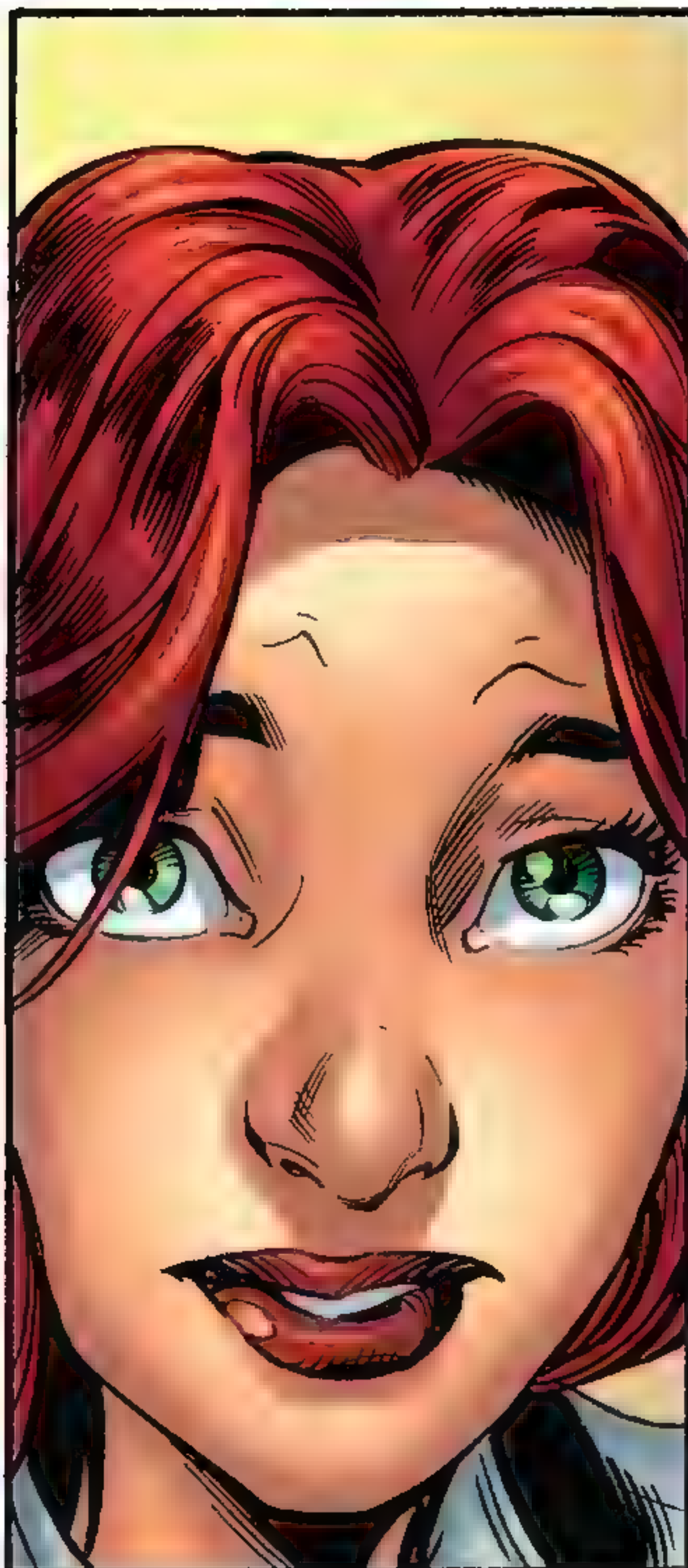


You told her??



No.

I don't know *how* she found out. She put it together somehow.



What did you do?

I, uh, I came over yesterday. Yeah. They had-uh-

What did you do?

They had this live feed on the TV of you fighting the guy with the arms and-and-and I got really *upset* and I *might* have run out of your house and it *may* have looked a little suspicious and--



I can't believe it.

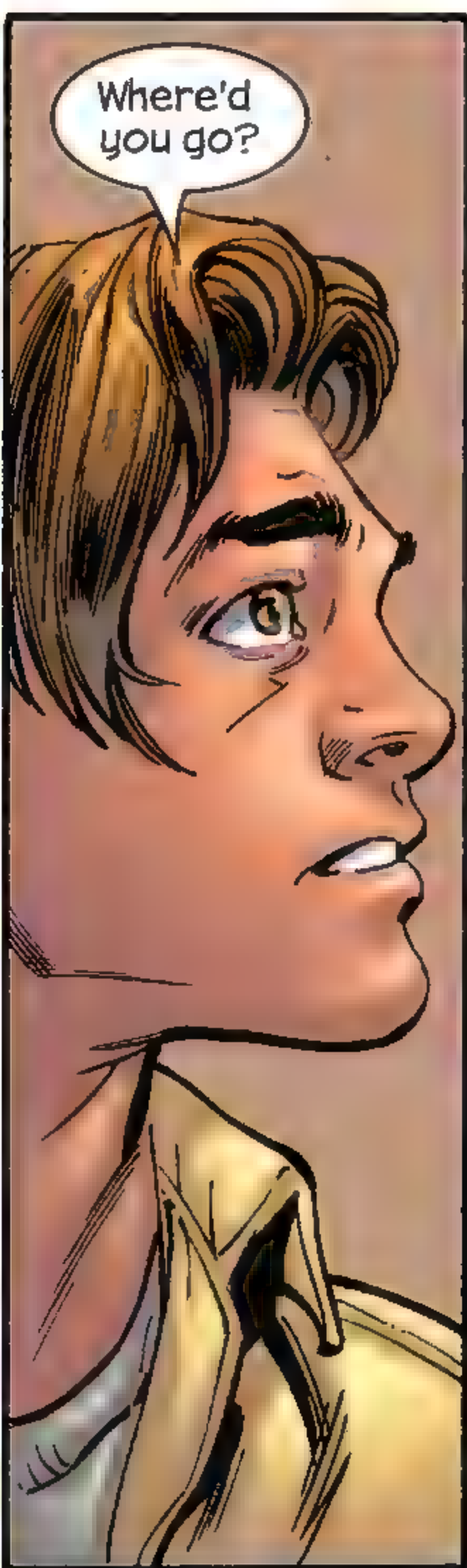
I was worried. I-I wasn't thinking.

This is a never-ending nightmare of--

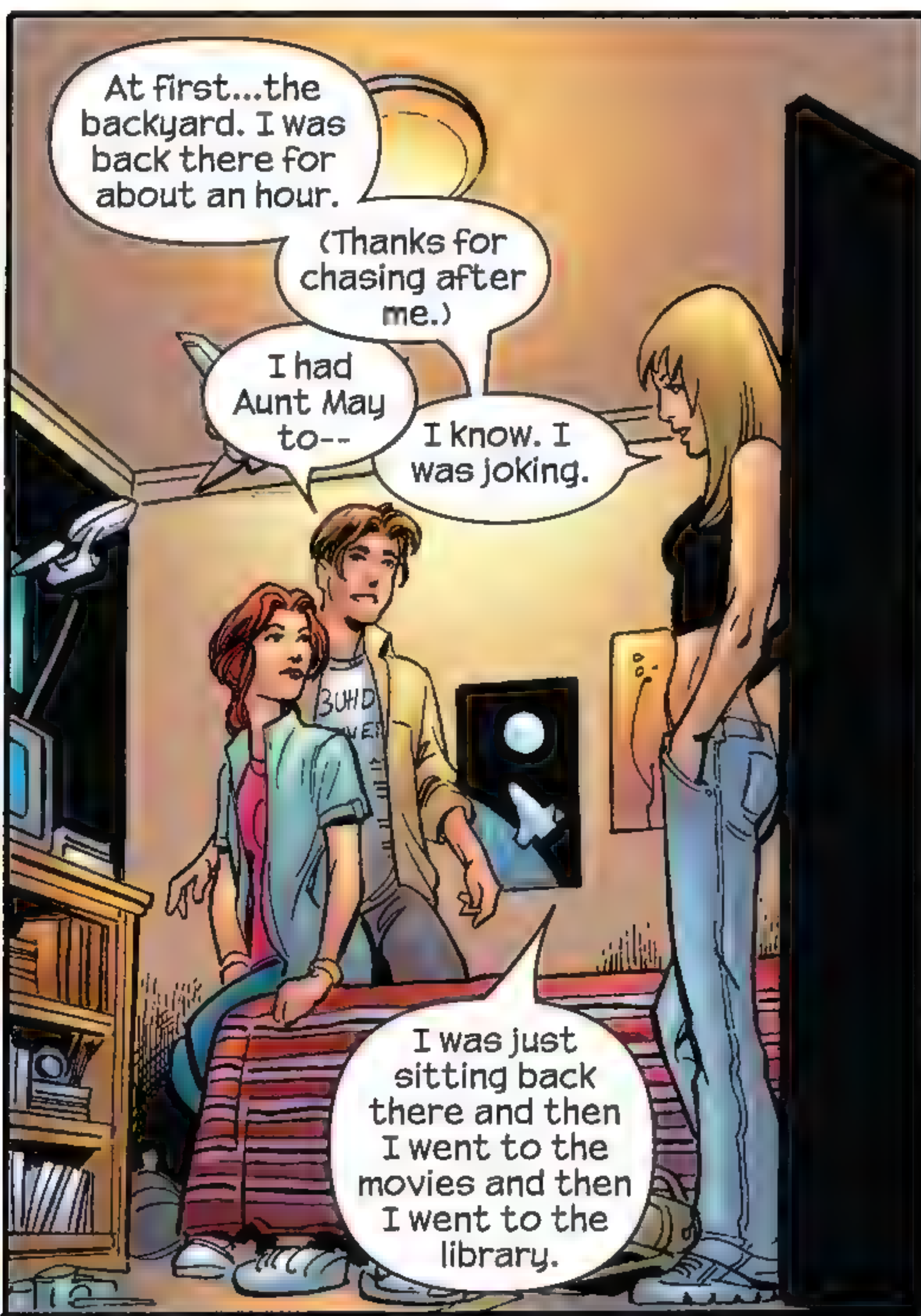
Dude, don't crawl up her butt...



I was going to find out *eventually* because, like, I'm not stupid.



Where'd you go?



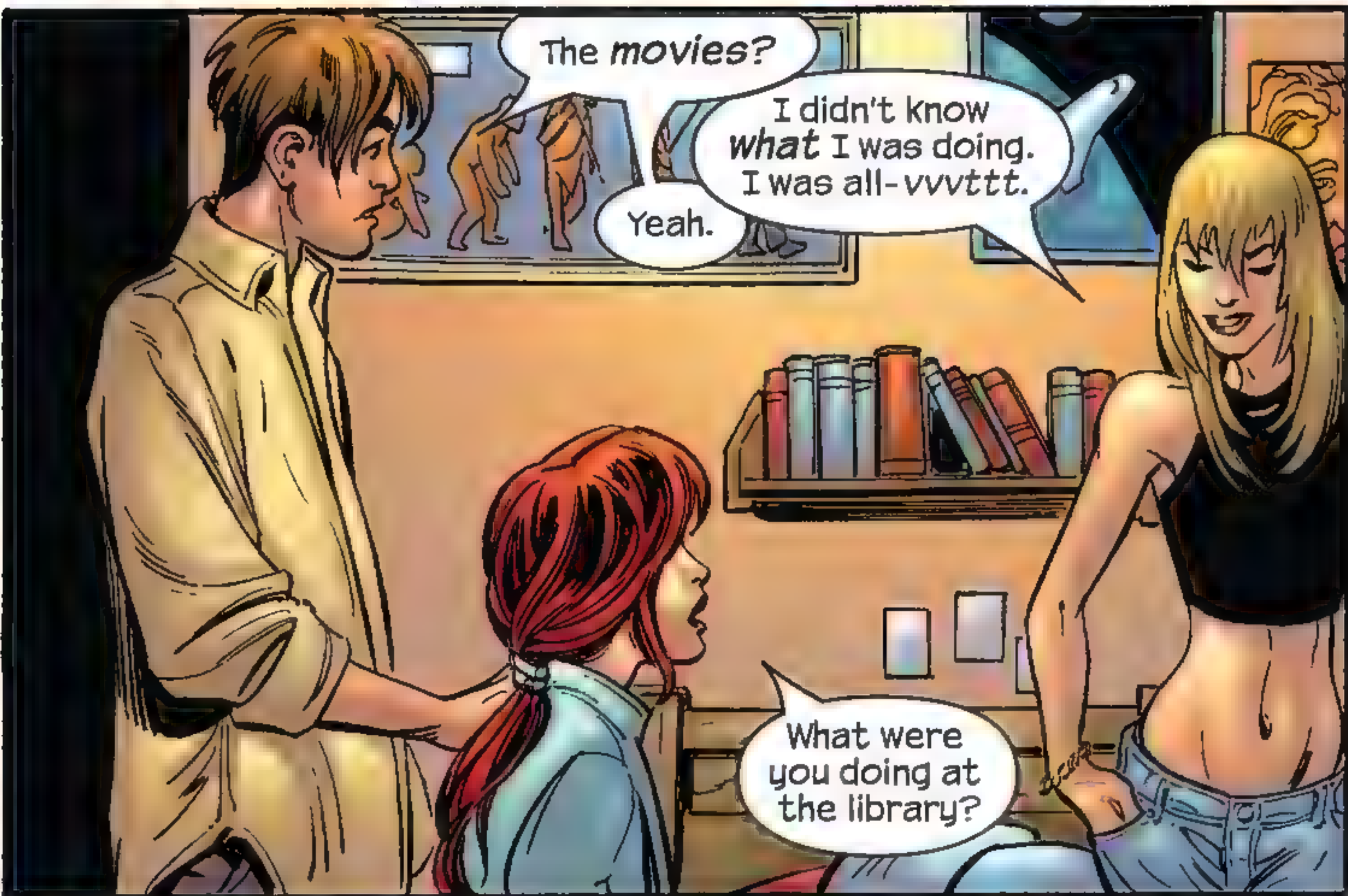
At first...the backyard. I was back there for about an hour.

(Thanks for chasing after me.)

I had Aunt May to--

I know. I was joking.

I was just sitting back there and then I went to the movies and then I went to the library.

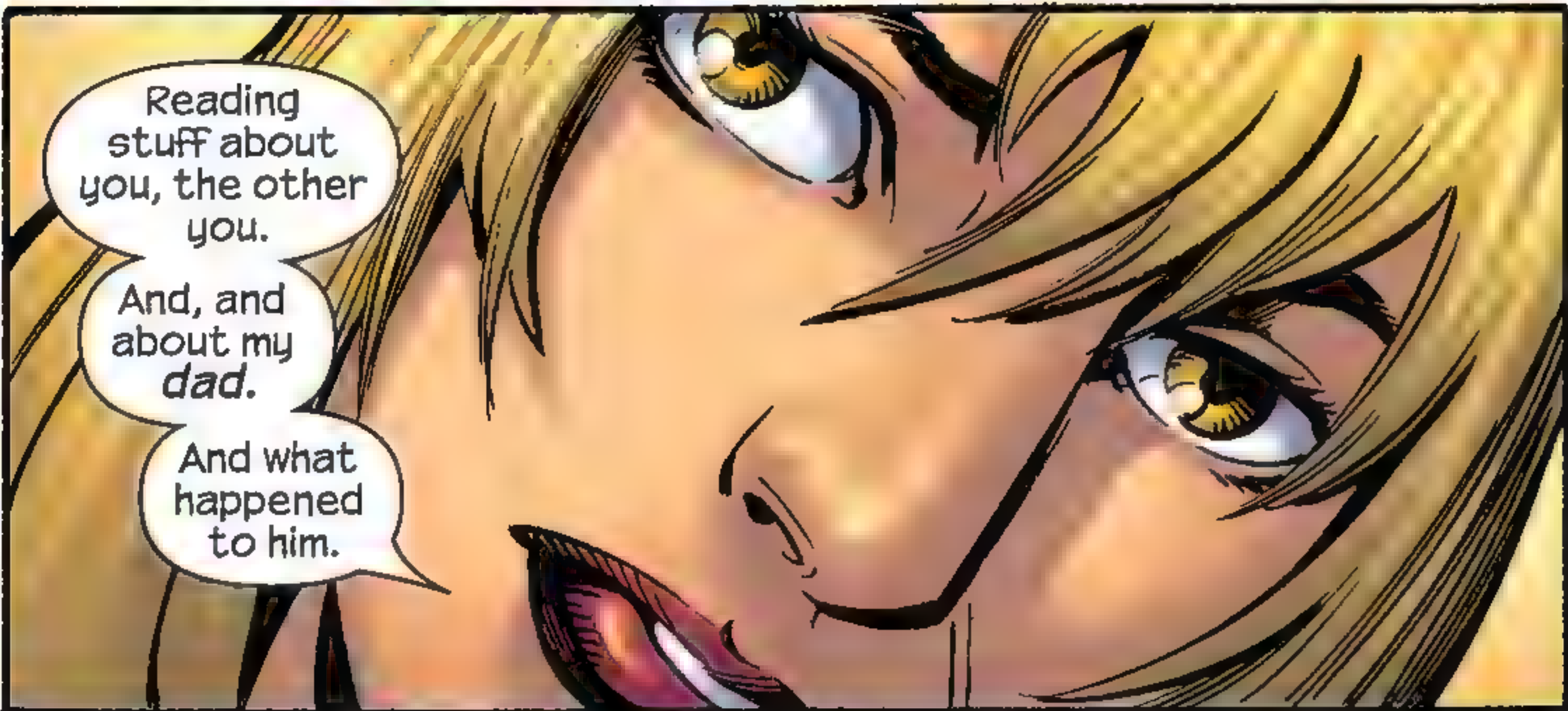


The movies?

I didn't know *what* I was doing. I was all-vvvttt.

Yeah.

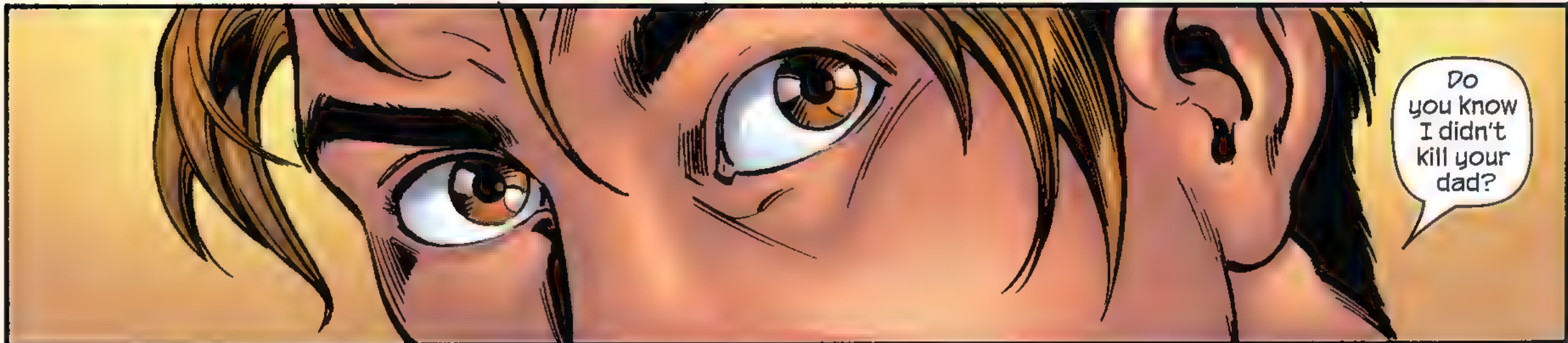
What were you doing at the library?



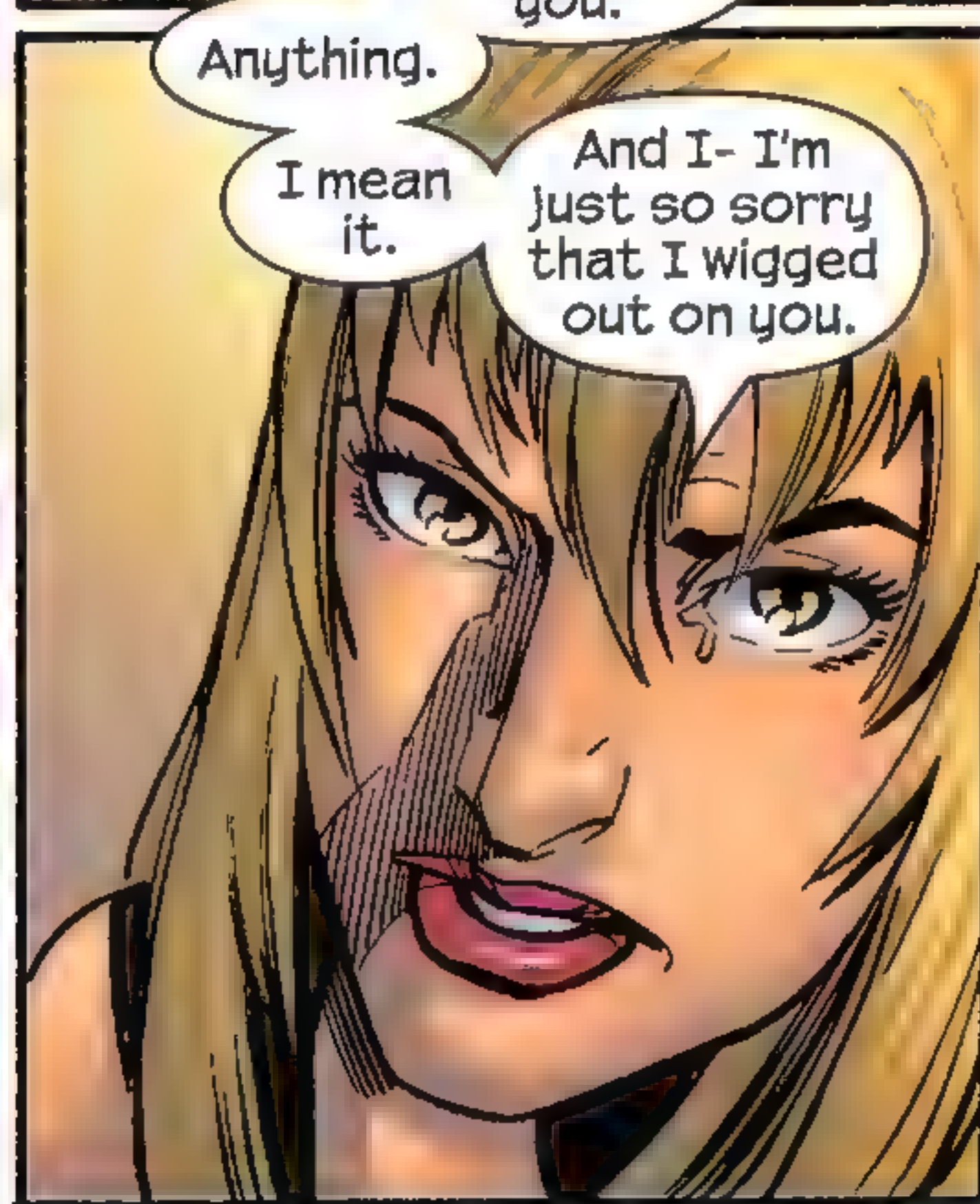
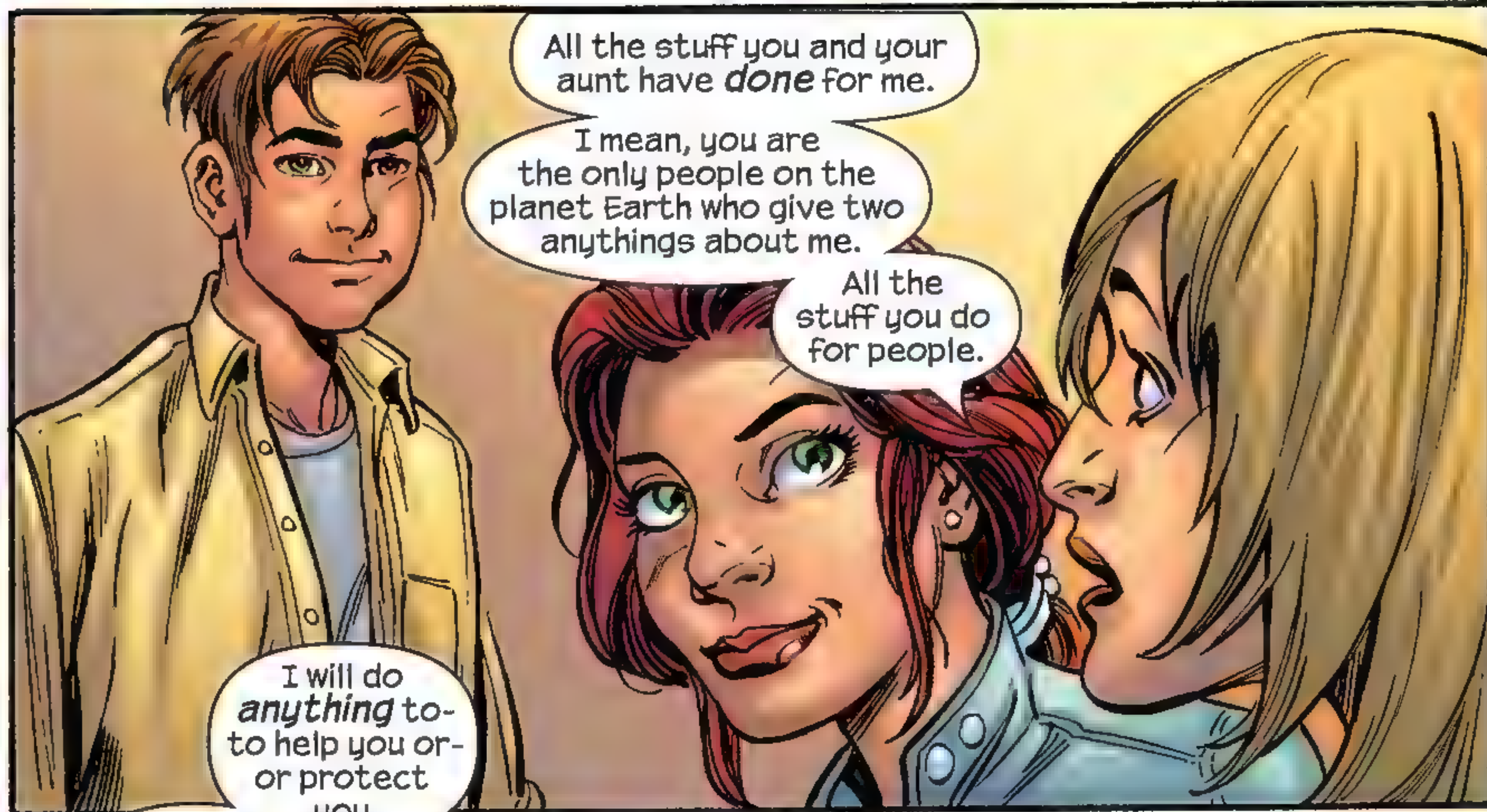
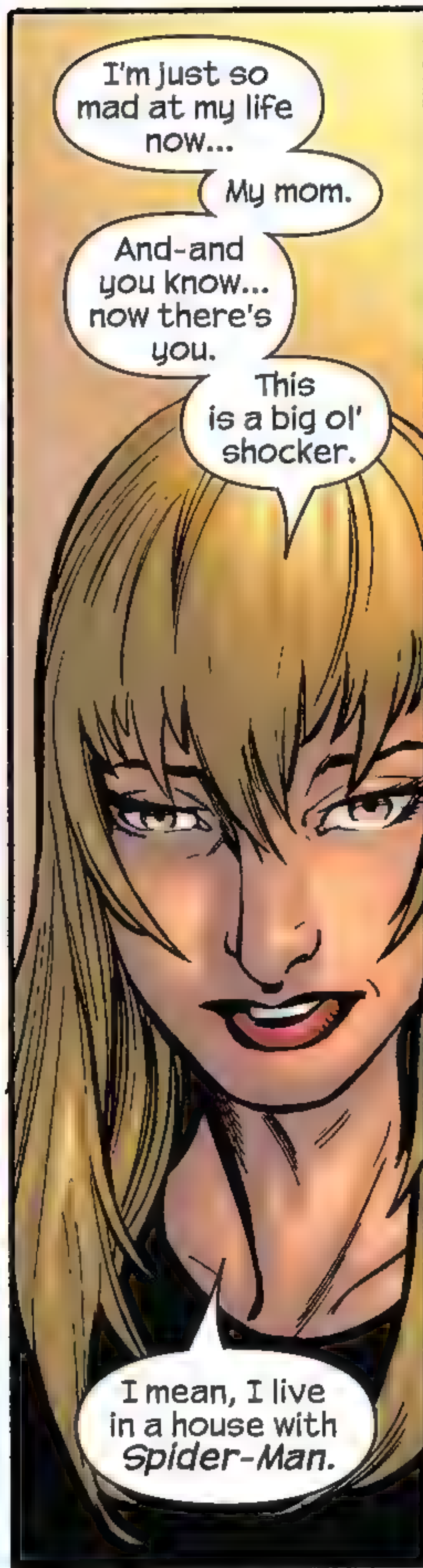
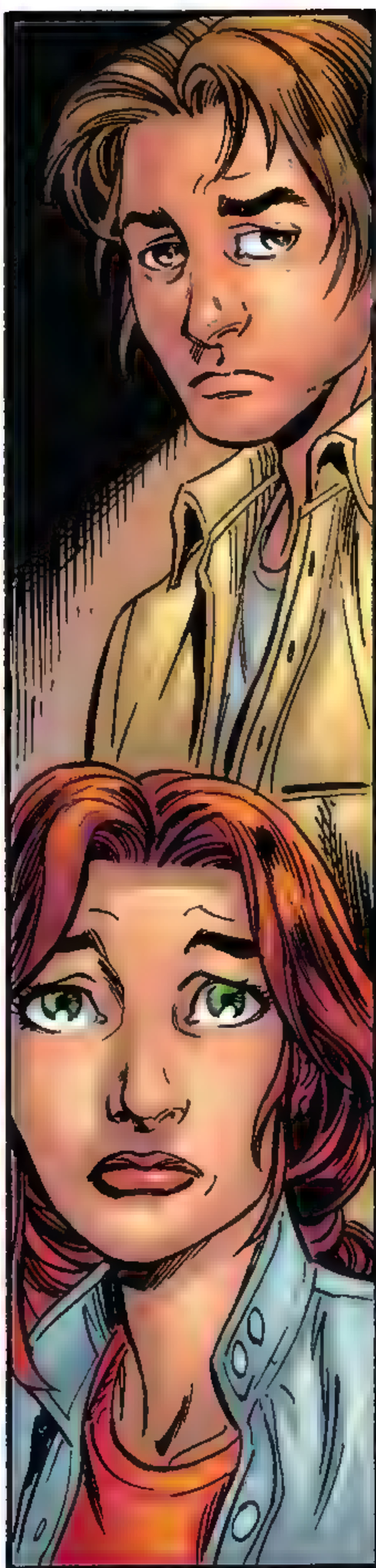
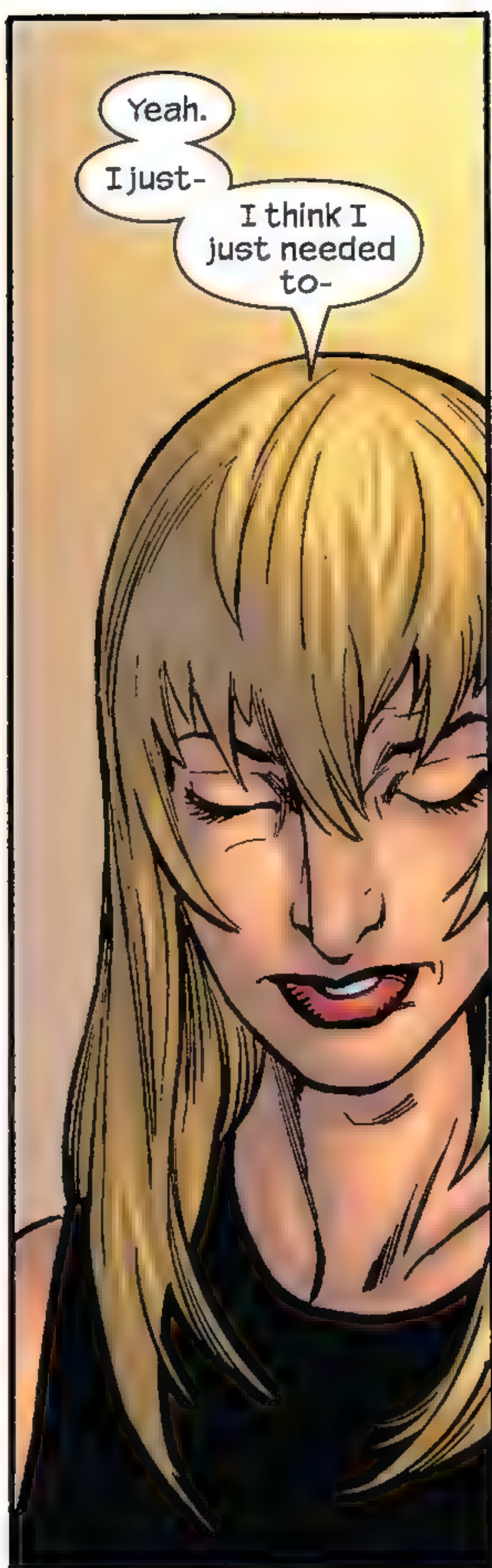
Reading stuff about you, the other you.

And, and about my dad.

And what happened to him.



Do you know I didn't kill your dad?





And now that I know I'm like--

"Oh, now I get it. Now I see why Peter's such a total flakeball."

Exactly.

He was like this before.



No, before I was a dork...

Now I'm mysterious.

Yeah, whatever.

You're such a good guy, Peter.

I swear to God. I don't know how you can possibly put up with half the crap of what you do.

I need a psychiatrist.

No, I need a psychiatrist.

I'm fine.

Yeah.



I wasn't going to shoot you.

I know.

How do you know?

I have Spider-Sense.

You have what?

I know when I'm, like, in danger. I have a... sense.

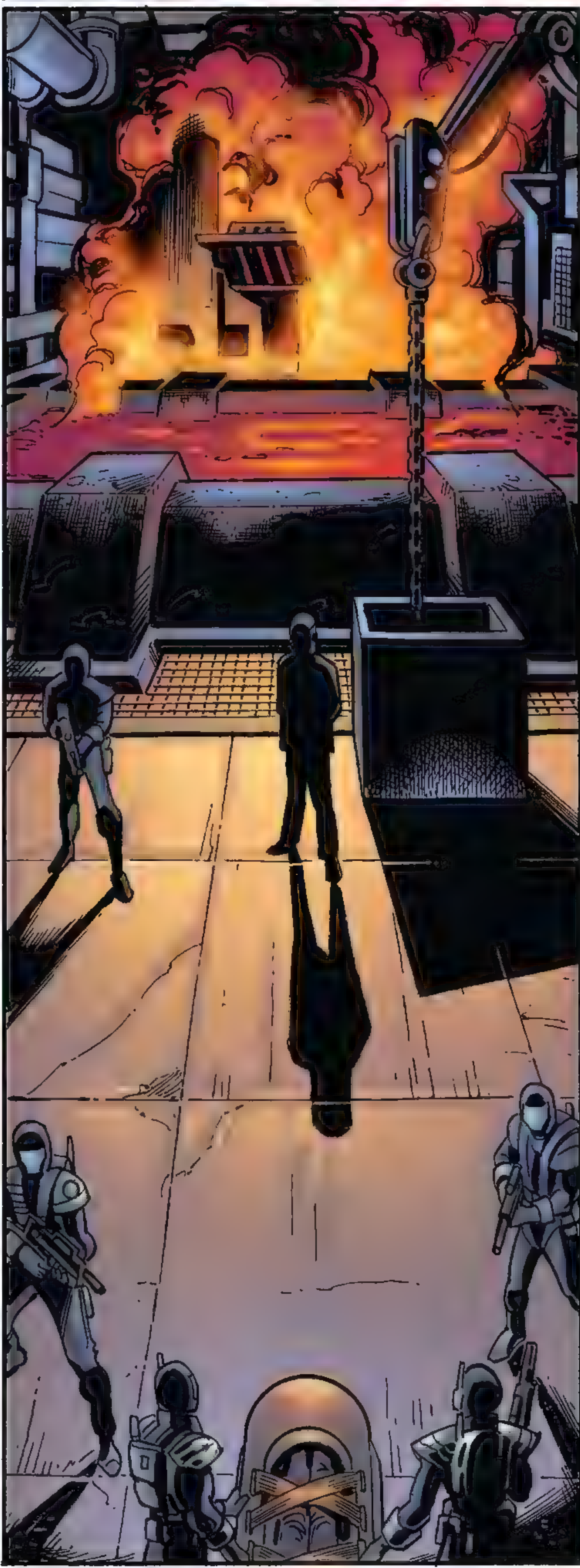
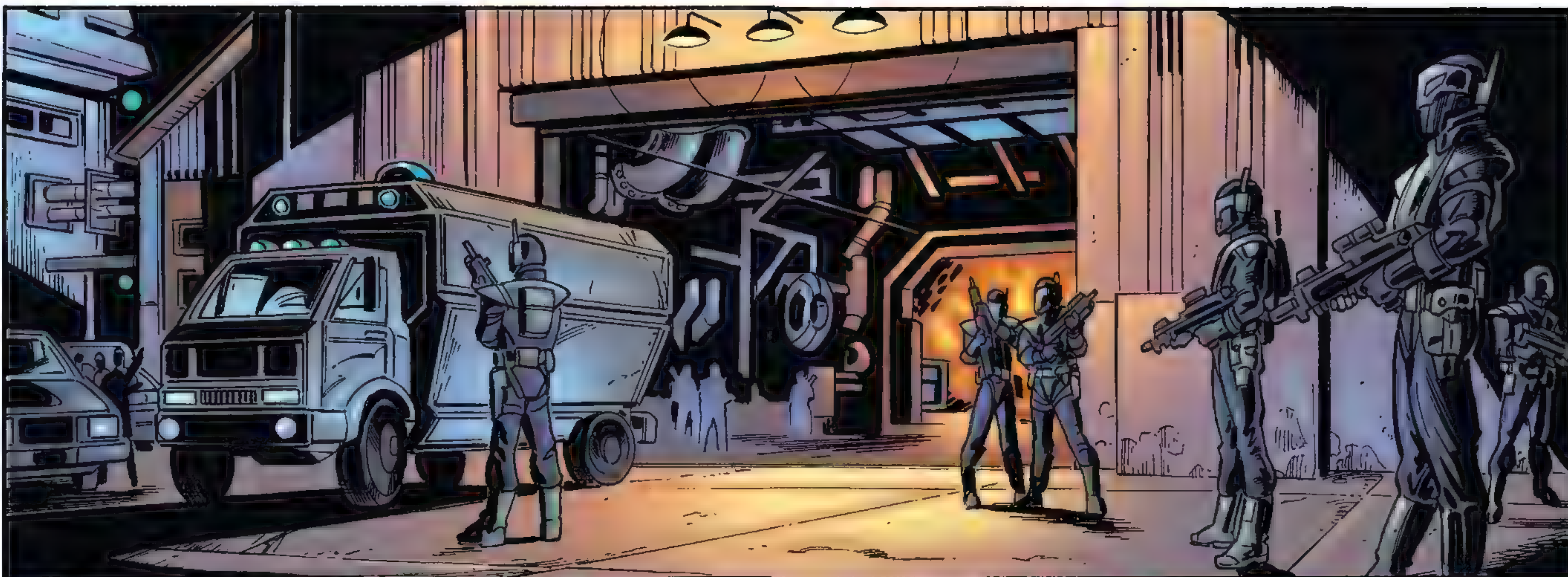
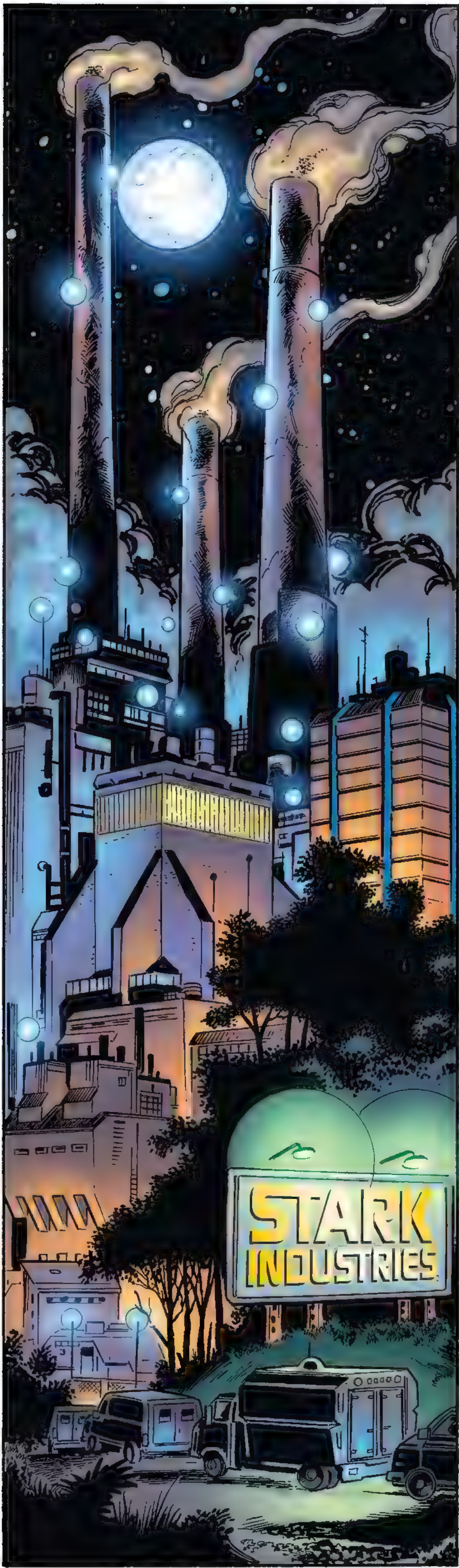


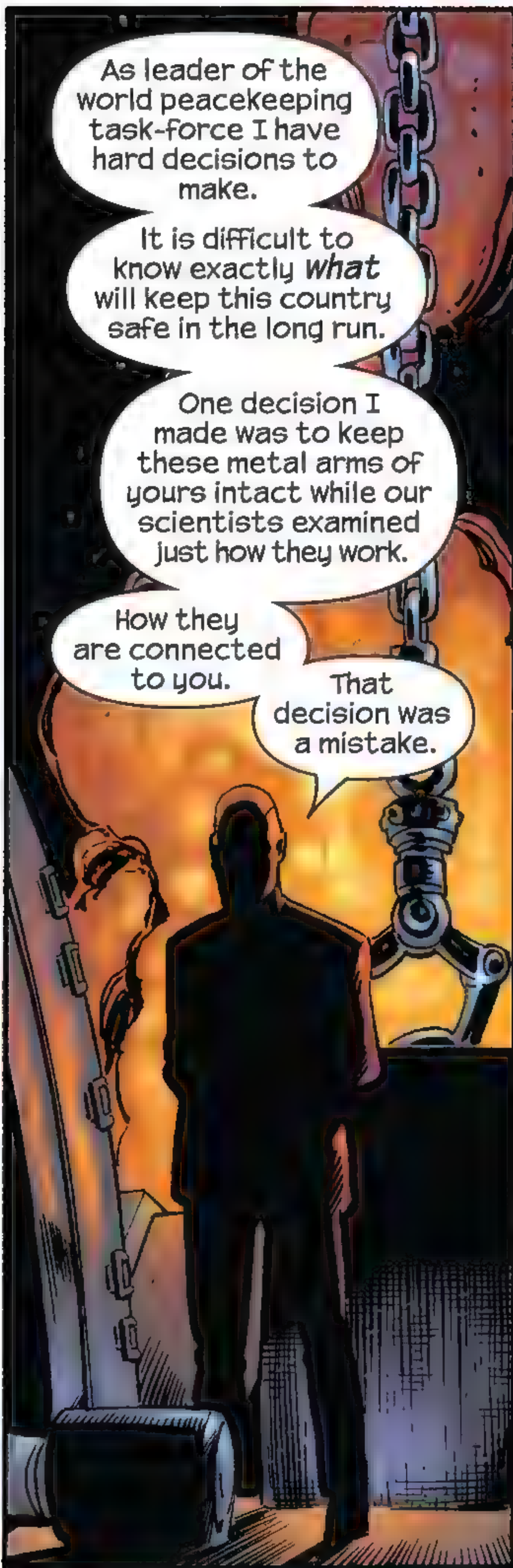
Wow.

Yeah.

That's so cool.

Yeah, but don't tell anybody.





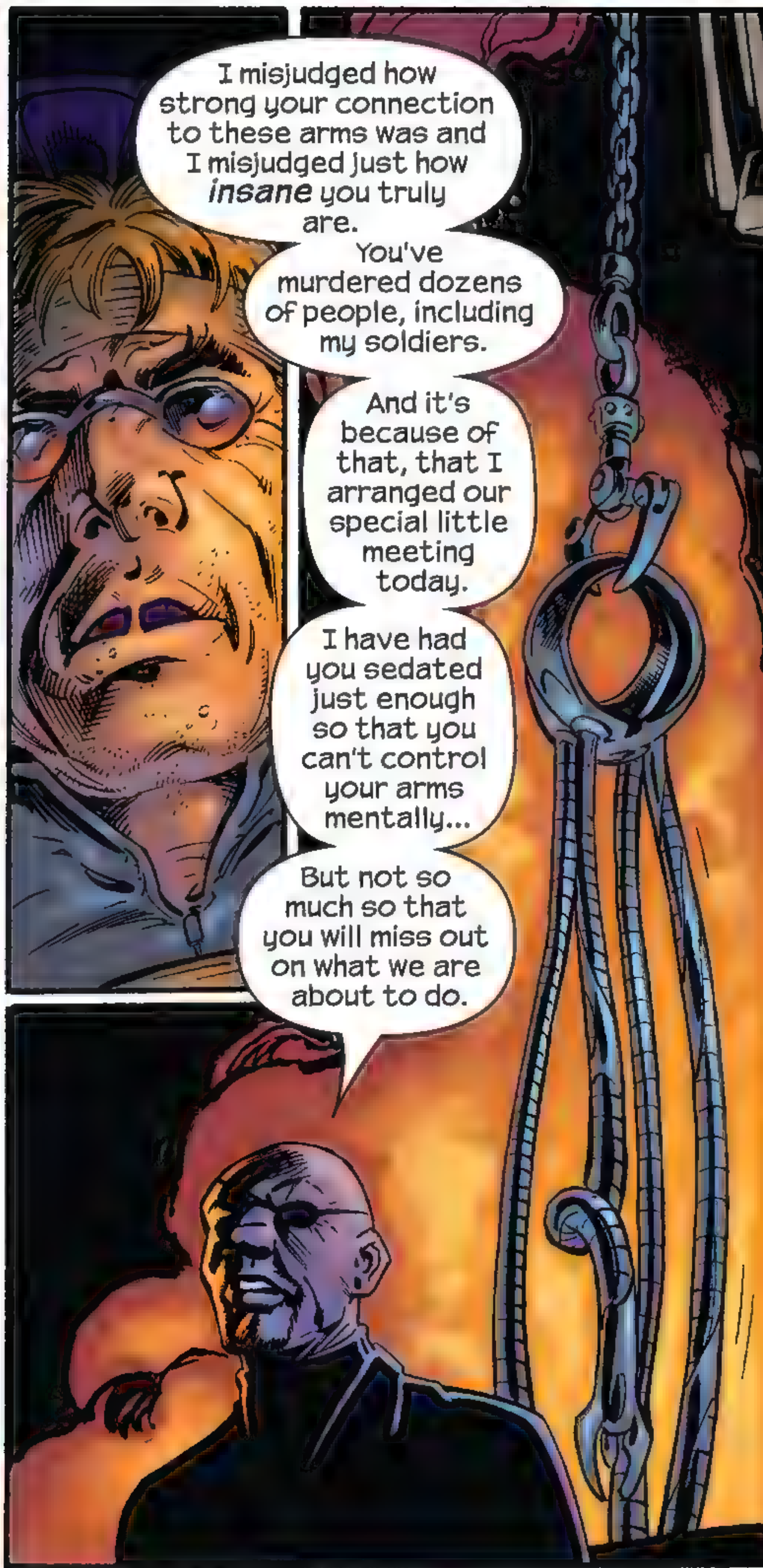
As leader of the world peacekeeping task-force I have hard decisions to make.

It is difficult to know exactly *what* will keep this country safe in the long run.

One decision I made was to keep these metal arms of yours intact while our scientists examined just how they work.

How they are connected to you.

That decision was a mistake.



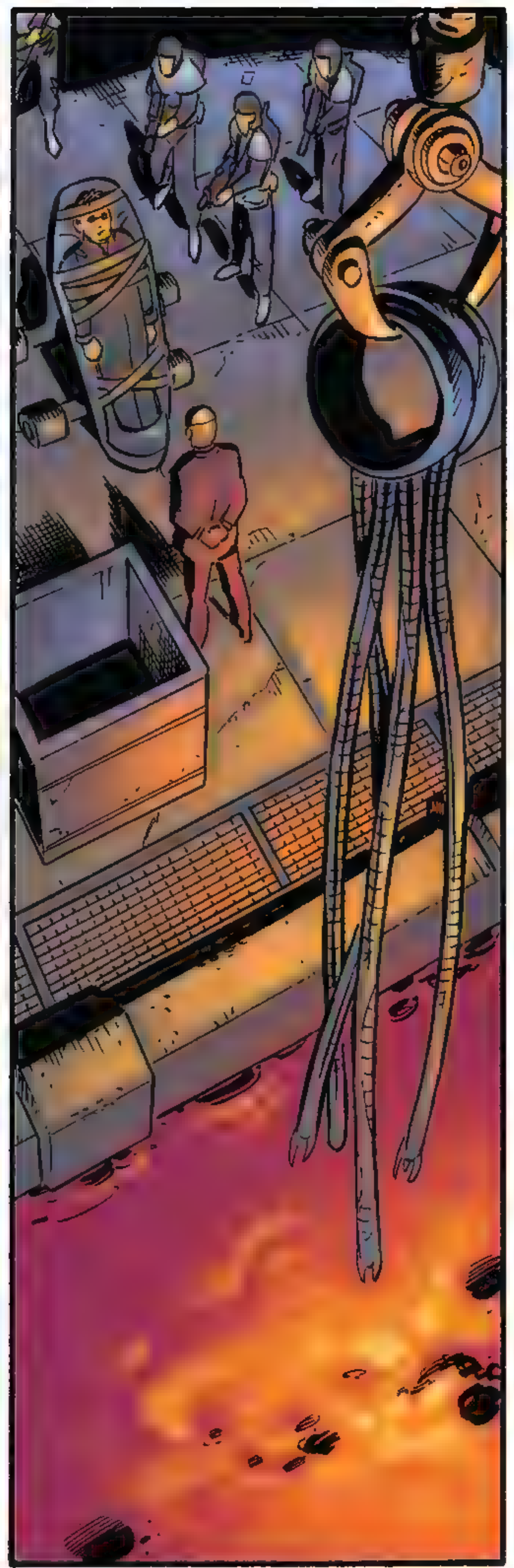
I misjudged how strong your connection to these arms was and I misjudged just how *insane* you truly are.

You've murdered dozens of people, including my soldiers.

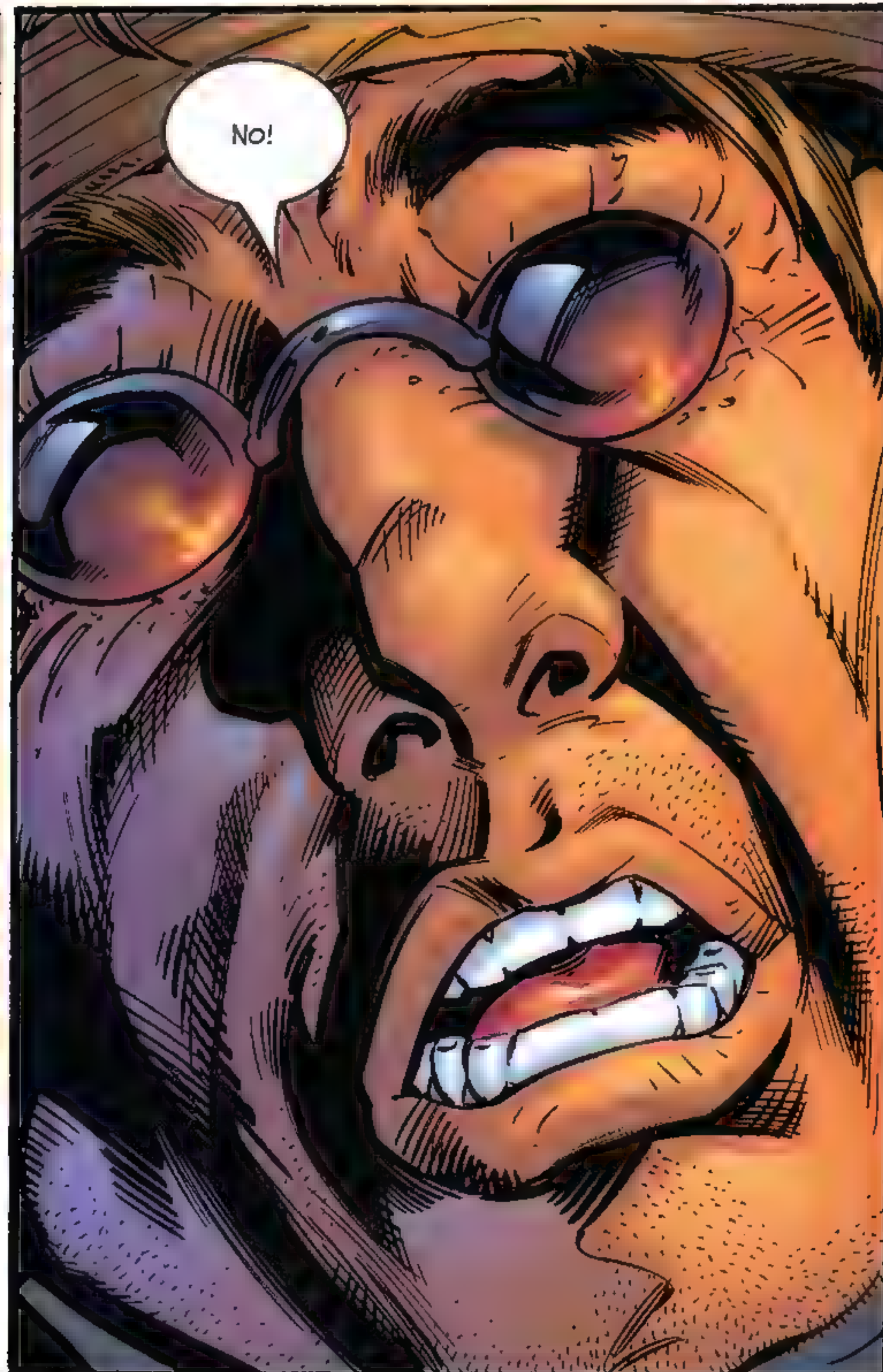
And it's because of that, that I arranged our special little meeting today.

I have had you sedated just enough so that you can't control your arms mentally...

But not so much so that you will miss out on what we are about to do.



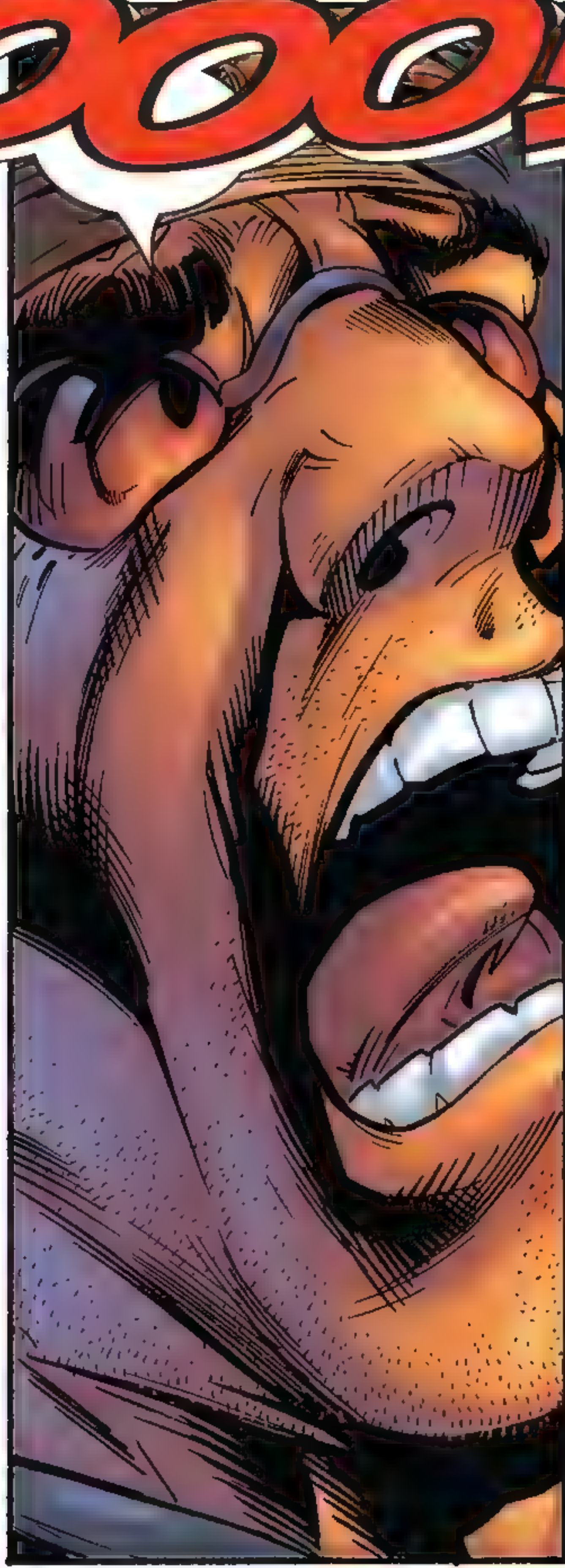
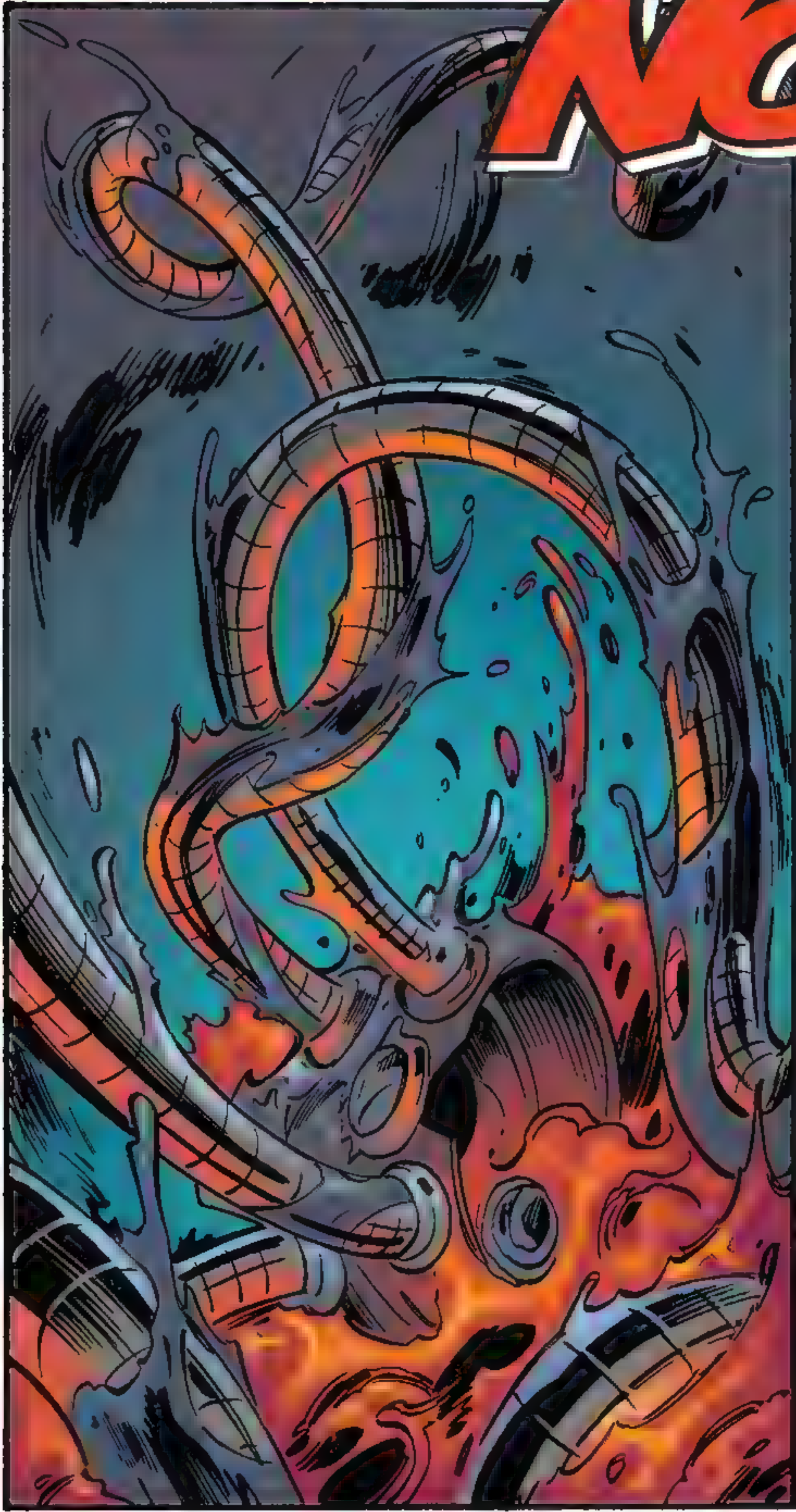
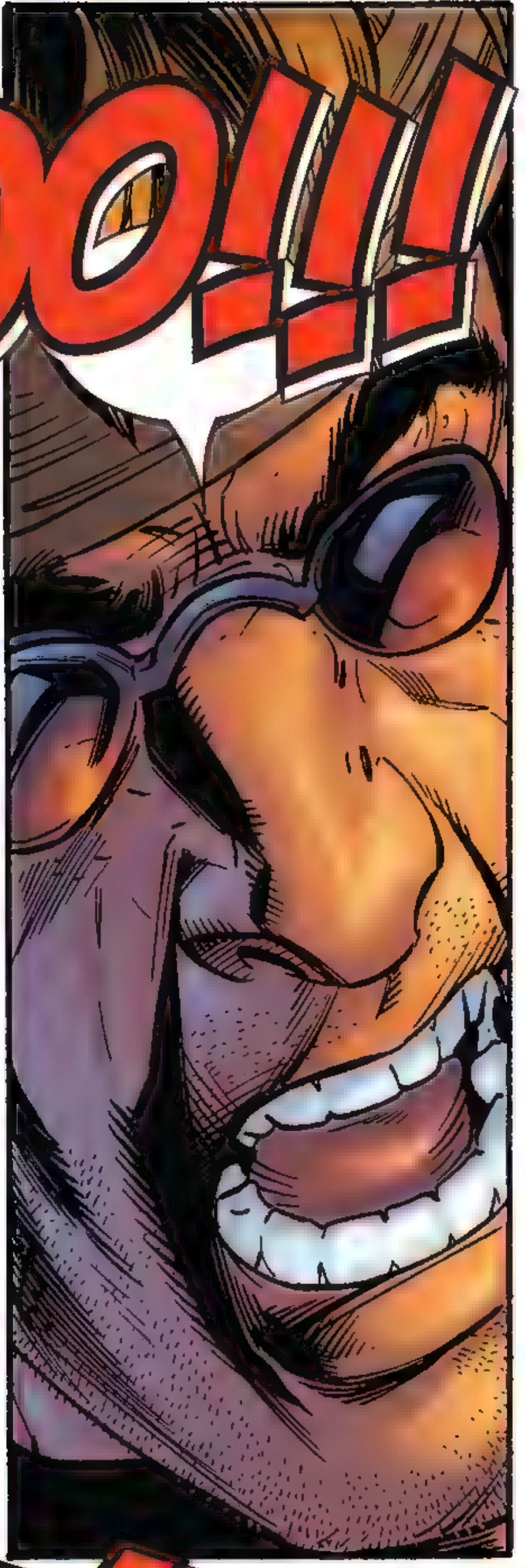
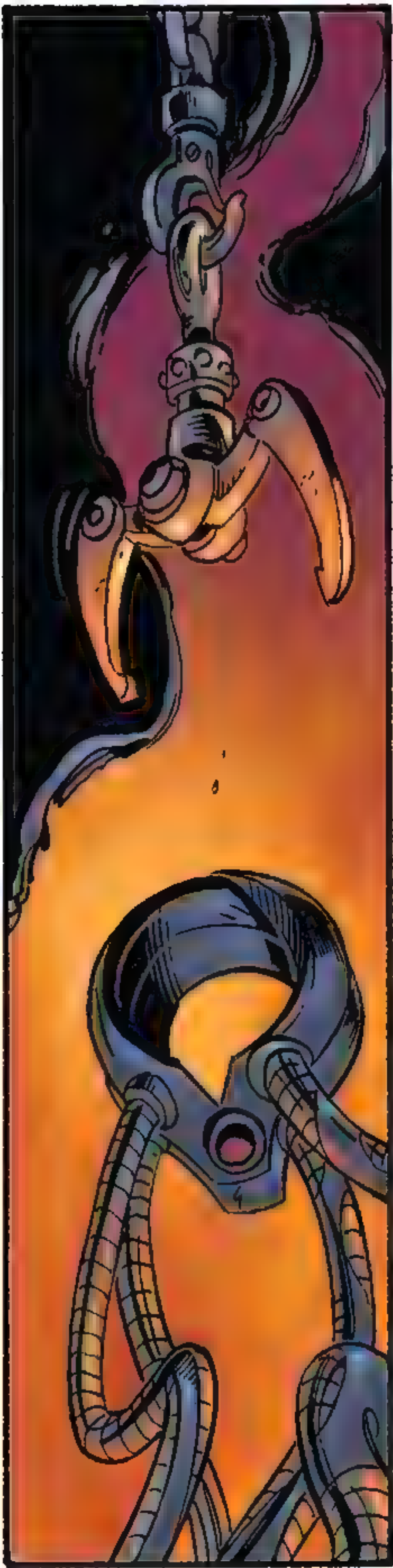
Do it.



No!



Yes.





**FOUR
MONTHS
LATER**



--biggest opening in box office history.

Rushed into theaters to capitalize on the intense curiosity surrounding the chaotic filmmaking experience...

Spider-Man saw an opening weekend gross of a staggering 176 million dollars and a stunning worldwide gross of 545 million after only four days.

Bolstered by **actual footage** of Spider-Man's shocking battle against the real-life Doctor Octopus that occurred during the filming of the fictional portrayal of the mysterious wall-crawler...

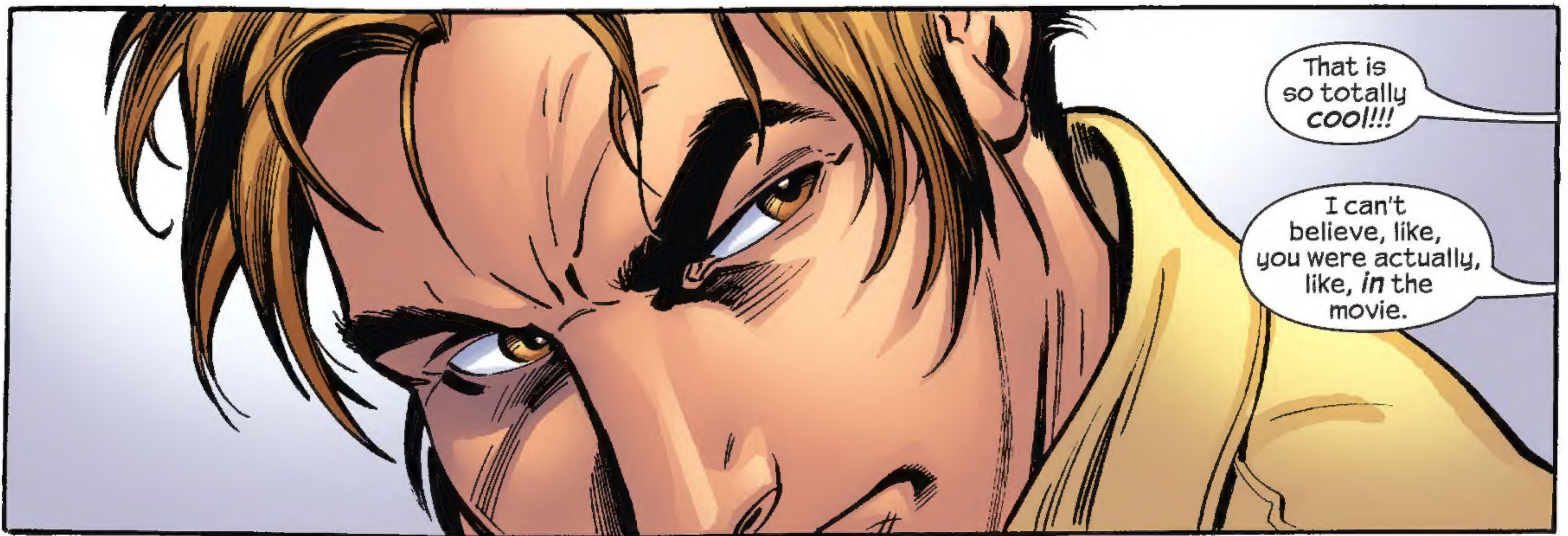
People have flocked to theaters for this unique mix of feature film and reality entertainment.

The movie has surpassed **all expectations** and tonight we are broadcasting live from a special charity benefit screening right here in New York City...

All the stars have come out to see this blockbuster to end all blockbusters.

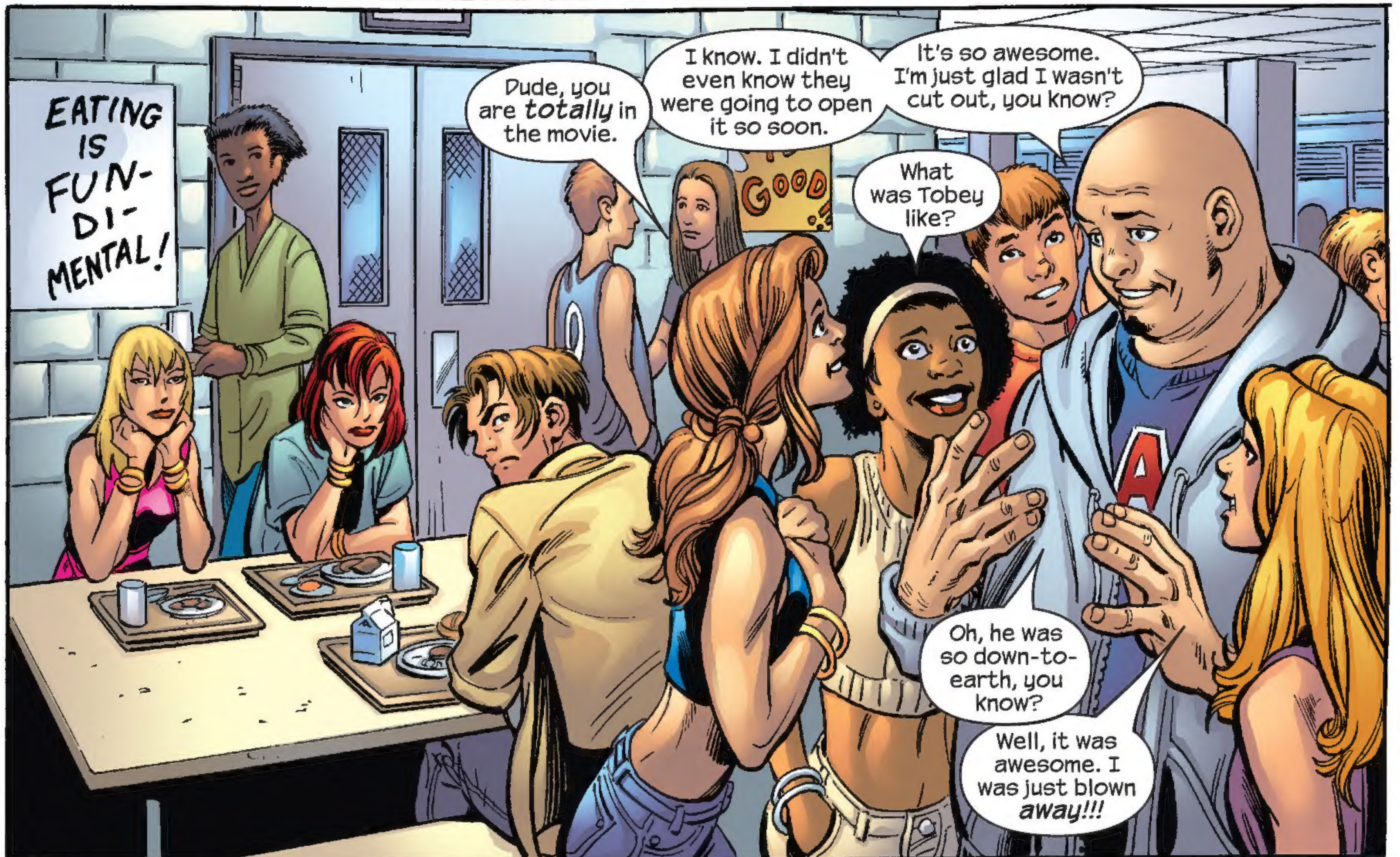
I tell ya, Bob. I sure would love to have a piece of this film franchise.

Ha ha. I hear that.



That is so totally cool!!!

I can't believe, like, you were actually, like, *in* the movie.



EATING IS FUN-DI-MENTAL!

Dude, you are *totally* in the movie.

I know. I didn't even know they were going to open it so soon.

It's so awesome. I'm just glad I wasn't cut out, you know?

What was Tobey like?

Oh, he was so down-to-earth, you know?

Well, it was awesome. I was just blown away!!!

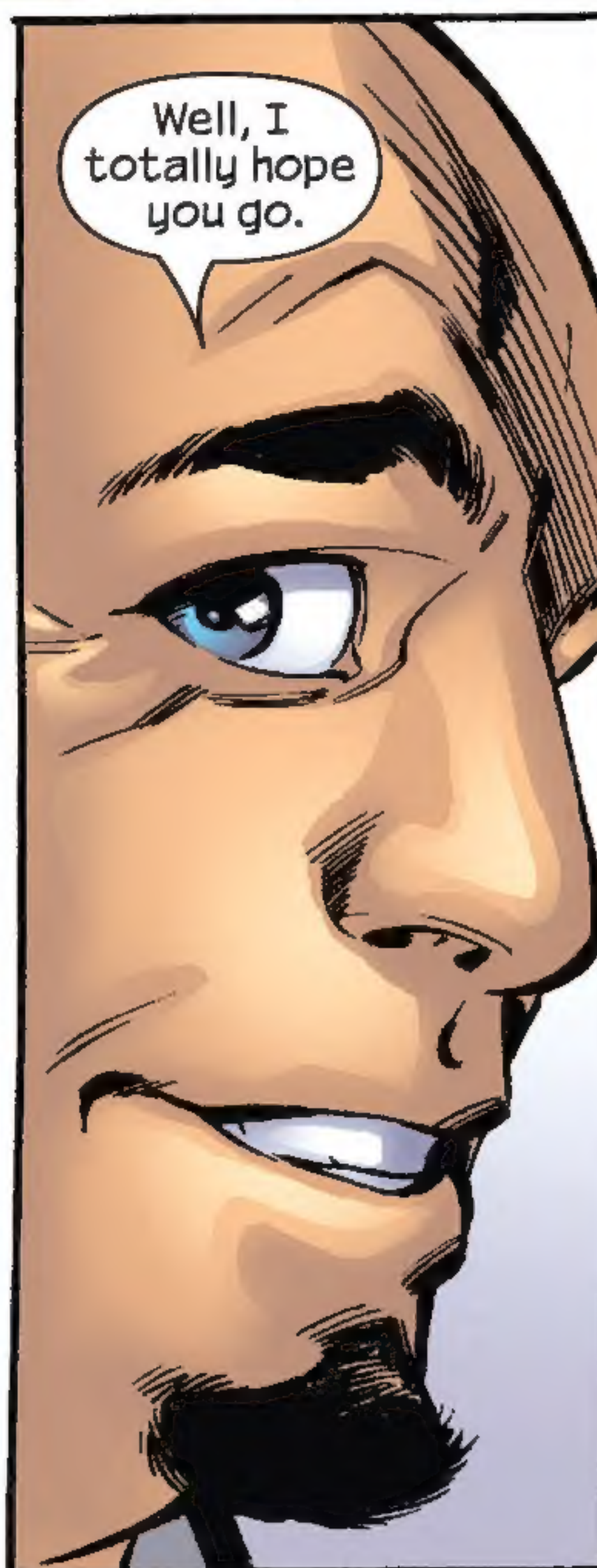


Yo, Peter MJ.

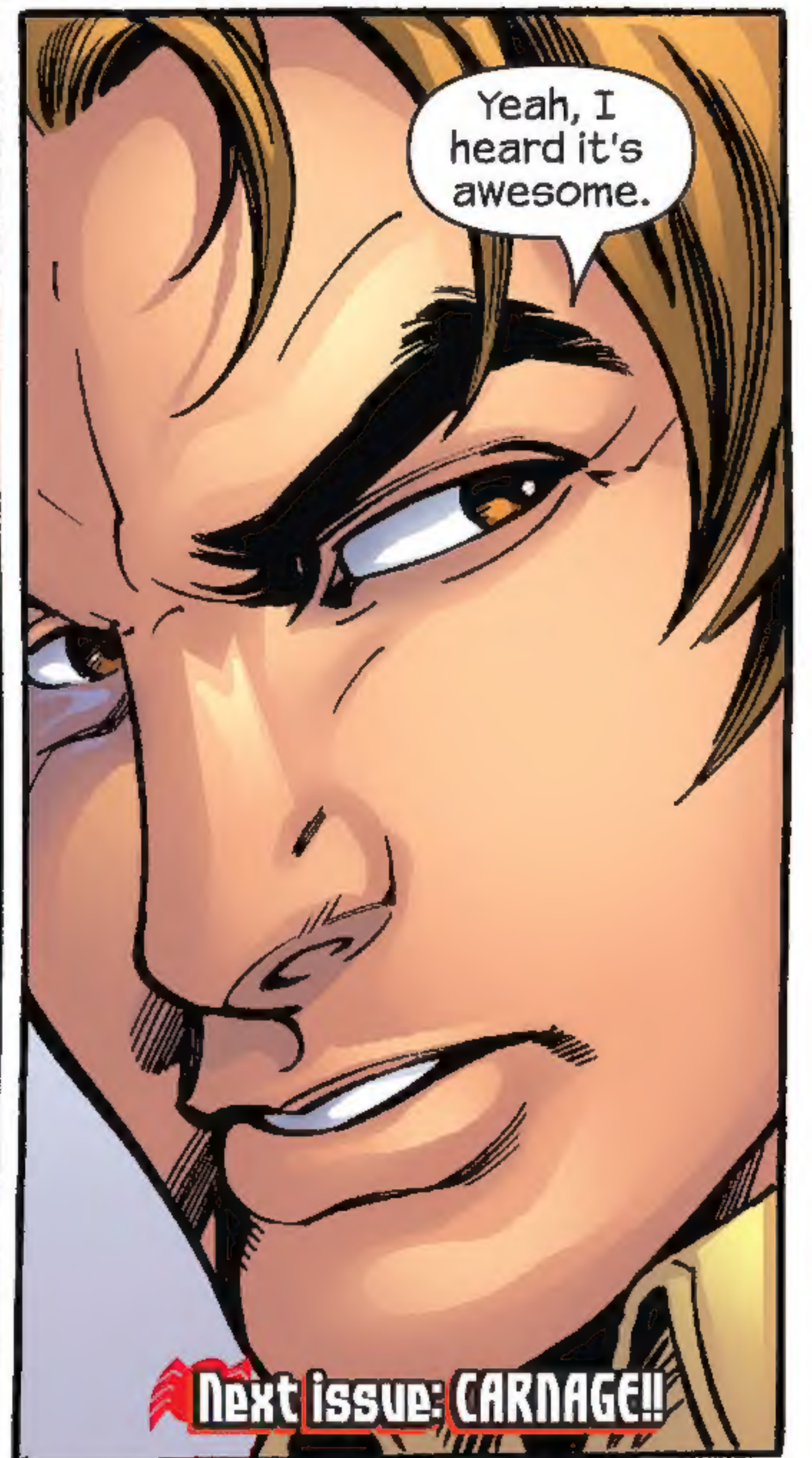
You guys get to see it yet?

No, not yet.

I actually don't have enough money to buy a ticket.



Well, I totally hope you go.



Yeah, I heard it's awesome.

Next issue: CARNAGE!!



SON OF ULTRAMAN